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BIRTH.

MAYSTON—July 10, 1940, at a Private Nursing Home, to Mr. and Mrs. Hume Peyton Mayston, the gift of twin daughters (Valerie Patricia and Madeleine Clemence).

MARRIAGES.

EGAN and GRANT—June 15, 1940, at Montreal, John Brendan, third son of the late John J. Egan, J.P., and the late Mrs. Egan, formerly of 12 Longford terrace, Monkstown, to Lola Edith, daughter of the late A. V. Grant and Mrs. Grant, of Montreal, Quebec.

M'MULLEN and HURLEY—July 6, 1940, at St. Thomas's Church, Belfast, by the Rev. J. B. Bradshaw, M.A., Rector of All Saints', and the Very Rev. the Dean of Down, Second Lieutenant Desmond M'Mullen, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, son of Mr. John G. M'Mullen, 20 Cadogan Park, and the late Mrs. M'Mullen, to Muriel, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hurley, 60 Eglantine avenue.

McNICKLE and DEAN—July 10, 1940, at St. Patrick's Cathedral, Armagh, by Rev. Charles Bateman, M.A., Rector of Portglenone, assisted by the Dean of Armagh, Charles A. B., son of Mrs. McNickle and the late George McNickle, Belfast, to Ethel Elizabeth Mary, younger daughter of James and Mrs. Dean, Vicars Hill, Armagh.

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FORSYTH and MERCER—July 16, 1890, at Kincardine-on-Forth, by the Rev. Robert Monroe, M.A., B.D., Alexander Forsyth, to Elizabeth Allan Mercer. Present address:—Marshfield, Leixlip, Co. Kildare.

DEATHS.

BRANAGAN—July 15, 1940 (result of accident), Michael M., fourth son of Michael and the late Anne Branagan, 159 Rathgar road and Ann Ville, Skerries. Very deeply regretted. R.I.P. Funeral to-day (Wednesday) at 3 o'clock to Holmpatrick Cemetery, Skerries. Mass will be celebrated at Church of the Three Patrons, Rathgar, to-day (Wednesday) at 10 o'clock.

COONEY—July 14, 1940, at Varna road, Edgbaston, Birmingham, Walker William Cooney, at an advanced age. Funeral (private) to Mount Jerome. "Peace, perfect peace."

GOODBODY—July 16, 1940, at her residence, 84 Cullenswood, Ranelagh, Dublin, Maria Josephine, elder daughter of the late Thomas Pim and Elizabeth Goodbody, in her 88th year. Funeral at The Friends' Burial Ground, Temple Hill, Blackrock, Co. Dublin, at 10 a.m. to-morrow (Thursday), 18th.

HOLLOWAY—July 11, 1940, at Banagher, Mary, widow of the late Thomas Holloway. Deeply regretted.

L'ESTRANGE—July 8, 1940, killed in a flying accident Edgar Francis John L'Estrange, Sergeant-Pilot, R.A.F., aged 30, only son of Lieutenant-Colonel E. F. Q. L'Estrange, R.A.M.C. (retired) and Mrs. L'Estrange, and beloved husband of Doreen.

ORMSBY LINDSAY—July 14, 1940, at her residence, Woodville, Blackrock, Dublin, after a short illness, Frances, widow of the late John Ormsby Lindsay. Deeply regretted. "With Christ which is far better." Funeral to Dean's Grange to-day (Wednesday) after Service in St. Philip's and St. James's Church, Booterstown, at 9.30.

REYNOLDS—July 16, 1940, at his residence, Drogheda street, Balbriggan, Richard Henry (Harry) Reynolds (ex-champion cyclist). Deeply regretted. Funeral arrangements later.

STEWART—At his residence, Tisdale, Sask., Canada, Joseph, son of the late Robert and Isabella Stewart, Carolina, Coolehill, and dearly-loved husband of Christina Stewart. Deeply regretted. Interred Tisdal Cemetery.

STRAHAN—July 15, 1940 (suddenly), at Bulawayo, George Edward, F.R.C.S.I., D.S.C., second son of George S. Strahan, Knapton road, Kingstown.

SWEETLOVE—July 16, 1940, David M. Sweetlove, of 5 Richmond road, Drumcondra. Deeply regretted by his relatives and friends. "Peace, perfect peace." Funeral arrangements later.

WARREN—July 14, 1940 (result of a motor accident), John George, the only and dearly-loved son of John and Ida Warren, "Lansdowne," Temple Gardens, Dublin. Funeral (private) at Mount Jerome Cemetery to-day (Wednesday), 17th inst., at 10 a.m.

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FIRM TONE IN MOST MARKETS

DUBLIN

Business continued on a very restricted scale on the Dublin Stock Exchange yesterday, and price changes were small. Home Funds were steady, and British Funds mostly unaltered. Irish Industrials on balance showed little change, whilst amongst British Industrials the Tobacco issues were a few pence firmer.

Home Funds recorded no price alterations, except for a rise of 10/- in 3½ p.c. Compensation Stock to 95½ for a small lot. 3½ p.c. War Loan repeated 99⅛ and 3½ p.c. Consols finally closed 7/6 lower at 72.

In the Banking section, Bank of Ireland rose ½ points to 247, but Munster and Leinster were 6d. easier at 87/6. Nationals closed weak, being 1/3 down at 89/- on the reduction in the half-yearly distribution from 5% p.a. to 5 p.c.

Guinness Ord. advanced 6d. to 55/- and the Pref. again quoted 13.

Railway issues were featureless. Great Southern Debenture being unchanged at 40. Dublin Tram Ord. were 6d. off at 8/3, but Alliance Gas Ord. put on 6d. to 20/6. Boland Ord. rose 6d. to 120/6 and Johnston Mooney Ord. fell 6d. to close at 28/6.

Carroll Pref., Goulding Ord. and Hammond Lane Ord. all showed no change, but Goodbody Pref. and Irish Tanners Ord. were 3d. and 6d. lower at 23/6 and 7/6 respectively.

Amongst British Industrials, British-American Tobacco Ord. and Imperial Tobacco Ord. were each a few pence harder at 64/6 and 85/3. Coats Ord. repeated 26/6, but Courtaulds Ord. at 24/1½ and Imperial Chemical Ord. at 23/3 were both fractionally easier.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

GOVERNMENT FUNDS—3½ p.c. Fourth National Loan (under £200) (94⅞) 95; 3¼ p.c. Financial Agreement Loan (99) 99; 4 p.c. Exchequer Bonds (102¾) 102¾; do. (Deed) (102⅛) 102¾; 3½ p.c. Compensation Stock (95) *95⅓; 4½ p.c. Land Bonds (104¾) 105¼; do. (under £200) (105¼) 105½; 4 p.c. Land Bonds (98¾) *98⅝; do. (under £200) (98¾) 98⅞. **BRITISH FUNDS**—2½ p.c. Consolidated Stock (72⅜) *71⅞ 72; 3½ p.c. War Loan (99⅛) 99⅛ ⅛. **CORPORATION STOCKS**—Dublin 5 p.c. 1950/70 (101⅛) 101¼. **BANKS**—Bank of Ireland (240½) 241; Munster and Leinster (88/-) 87/6; National Bank (30/3) 29/-; Northern Bank *14/- (60/3) 60/3; Provincial Bank (29/-) 29/-. **BREWERIES**—Guinness Ord. (54/6) 55/-; do. Pref. (13) 13 13. **RAILS**—Great Southern 4 p.c. Deb. (40) 40. **TRAMS**—Dublin United Ord. (8/8) *8/3. **GAS**—Alliance and Dublin Ord. (20/-) *20/6. **BAKERIES AND MILLING**—Bolands Ord. (120/-) *120/6; Johnston Mooney Ord. (26/3) 28/9; do. Pref. (23/6) 23/6; Ranks (L.) Pref. (22/7 xd.) 22/7½.

IRISH INDUSTRIALS—Carroll Pref. (21/3) 21/6 21/6; Goodbody Pref. (23/9) 23/6; Goulding Ord. (23/-) 23/-; Hammond Lane Ord. (26/-) 26/-; Independent News "B" Ord. (35/-) 35/-; Irish Sugar Pref. (21/6) *21/6; Irish Tanners Ord. (8/-) 7/6; Mooney Deb. (100) *100; Parkes Deb. (19/7) *19/6; Sunbeam Wolsey Ord. (28/6) 28/6 29/-.

BRITISH INDUSTRIALS — British-American Tobacco Ord. (64/6) 64/9; Coats Ord. (26/6) 26/6; Courtaulds Ord. (24/9) 24/7½; Imperial Chemical Ord. (23/6) 23/3; Imperial Tobacco Ord. (85/-) 85/3.

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LONDON

Recent inactivity on the London Stock markets was unrelieved yesterday, but, while buyers continued to exercise restraint pending the Budget, there was no perceptible deterioration in sentiment, and in the absence of anything but trifling liquidation most groups were able to exhibit a firm undertone.

Gilt-edged securities formed one of the few sections which enjoyed modest demand, and quotations all round were well held. Interest was confined mainly to the new War Loan, Local Loans and Conversion per cent., and these issues all concluded at slightly improved levels. India stocks displayed a sagging tendency, however, and likewise Dominion and Colonial issues lost the turn in places.

Foreign Bonds were notable for further buying of Far Easterns, and, while Japanese 6 per cent. 1924 put on another ½ to 55½, several Chinese descriptions moved up sharply. European Bonds remained idle, and, apart from a moderate advance in the 20-Year Funding, Brazilians were uninteresting. Among other bonds, Peru 7s per cent. Gaupo gave way to 40.

There were signs of an expansion of interest in British Rails, the near approach of the dividend season influencing sentiment. Inquiries were mainly of a tentative nature, however, and the volume of actual transactions was insufficient to warrant any significant alteration in values. Foreign Rails had another dreary session, with Buenos Aires Guaranteed stock and some of the Argentine Debentures out of favour.

INDUSTRIALS

Another very quiet session was experienced in the Industrial market. The general tone continued fairly firm, though here and there dullness was observable owing to the lack of incentive.

Iron and Steel shares again moved within narrow limits. Indian Iron further improved to 2 on buying from the East. Lorne Kean, Sidlaw and Allied Ironfounders all received a little support, but Hadfields, Vickers and Richard Thomas came on offer. Among the Colliery issues, Bolsovers strengthened to 38/9, but Shipleys weakened to 23/6, with Powell Duffryn the turn easier at 14/3. In the Engineering group, business was recorded at 35/- in J. Brockhouse Ord., following the proposed issue of new shares.

A few buying orders were received for Electrical Equipments, noticeably Generals, which improved 9d. to 66/3. Aircrafts and Motors moved in uncertain fashion, the only firm spots being Leyland and Raleighs, each of which gained 1/6 at 27/6 and 2 respectively.

Breweries and Tobaccos showed little variation, and in most cases held around the overnight levels. In other directions, Tate and Lyle improved to 44/-. Hartlepools to 28/-. Imperial Chemicals to 23/10½. London Brick to 29/3, Patons and Baldwins to 23/-, and Hudsons Bay to 23½.

Conversely, British Aluminium gave way to 31/6, Boots Drug to 34/6, United Molasses to 17/6, "Enmiee" to 5/6, Sudans to 15/-, and Birmids to 40/-.

MINES

Conditions in the Mining market were still very quiet, but there was slightly more doing than on Monday. The undertone remained firm and most price movements were favourable.

In the absence of selling, modest investment buying was responsible for several gains in Kaffirs. Brakpan rose ¼ and Modder East and Durban Deep were similarly higher. A rise of ⅛ was also scored by Geldenhuis Deep, while smaller advances took place in East Daggas, Luipaards, Nourse and Van Ryn Deep. Crowns improved ¼ and Sub Nigel ⅛. In the finance issues Anglo-American closed slightly better. Developing Mines were neglected, with Western Holding and Western Reefs easier.

Little interest was taken in West Africans, and the few price alterations revealed no decided trend. Trading in Diamond issues remained slow, though both the De Beers stocks put on ¼, the Deferred ending at 4 3/32 and Preferences at 4 5/32. Interest in Tins centered on Fahangs, which recovered 1/- to 15/-.

OILS AND RUBBERS

Business in Oil shares failed to expand yesterday, the general public remaining apathetic and professional operators continuing to hold aloof.

The news that the Royal Dutch Petroleum Co., the chief partner in the Royal Dutch-Shell group, is not paying a final dividend, the total for the year being 5 per cent., which was distributed by way of interim, created no surprise in view of the fact that the "Shell" also passed the final dividend. Dealings in the shares of the Royal Dutch have been banned by order of the Treasury. Consequently the market was not affected. Nevertheless, it might have been expected that the price would have fallen, and doubtless would have influenced the course of "Shells" and other leading Oil stocks.

As was the case on Monday, a small volume of transactions had little influence on prices. "Shells" had a slightly firmer appearance, small buyers being in evidence; the price strengthened to 1½. Mexican Eagles were dull.

Rubber shares provided few transactions yesterday, and the business put through comprised only small lines. The tone of the market remained dull, although price changes were few and generally of little importance.

OTHER STOCK EXCHANGES

BELFAST.—3½ per cent. War Loan, 99⅛, 99⅜; Guaranteed 4½ per cent. Bonds, 105⅛; Northern Ireland 4½ per cent. Stock, 99¼; Northern Bank "A" 60/-; Provincial Banks, 29/-; Ulster Bank (Partly), 62/-; Belfast Corporation 3½ per cent. 1973, 97; Woolworth Ord., 48/9; Imperial Tobacco, 85/3; White, Tomkins and Courage Pref., 20/3 bid.

CORK.—Fourth National Loan, 95; Financial Agreement Loan, 99; 4½ per cent. Land Bonds, 1030⅝; 4 per cent. Land Bonds, 98¾; 3½ per cent. War Loans, 99⅛; Bank of Ireland, 241; Provincials (Old), 29/-; Great Southern Deb., 40; Cement Ord., 25/6; Coats Ord., 26/6; Guinness Ord., 55/-; Sunbeam Wolsey Ord., 28/-; Irish Sugar Pref., 21/6.

IRISH EXCHEQUER

INCREASED COST OF SUPPLY SERVICES

The Exchequer return for the period April 1 to July 13, 1940, shows that revenue is £1,141,452 more and expenditure £437,228 higher than in the same period of 1939.

The figures:—

REVENUE.		EXPENDITURE.	
1940	£8,982,758	1940	£8,802,475
1939	7,721,304	1939	8,365,247
More ...	£1,141,452	Higher ..	£437,228

The revenue last week amounted to £424,834, compared with £553,365 in the corresponding week last year, and expenditure to nil, compared with £305,000.

AGGREGATE FIGURES.

The aggregates for two years are appended:

REVENUE.	Apr. 1, '40, to July 13, '40.	Apr. 1, '39, to July 15, '39.
	£	£
Customs	4,026,000	3,957,000
Excise	1,005,000	1,580,000
Motor Duties	185,000	195,000
Estate Duties	432,000	335,000
Stamps	150,000	296,000
Income Tax	1,123,000	882,000
Corporation Profits ...	90,000	56,000
Excess Profits	14,000	11,000
Post Office	420,000	515,000
Sundry Receipts ...	749,756	794,304
Total Revenue ...	8,982,756	7,721,304
EXPENDITURE.	£	£
Central Fund Services	1,731,715	1,469,460
Supply Services ...	7,070,760	6,904,787
Total Expenditure ..	8,802,475	8,365,247

EXCHEQUER BALANCE.

There were no "other" receipts or issues. The balance in the Exchequer on July 13, 1940, was £3,624,924, compared with £1,273,681 on the corresponding date last year, and £3,622,659 on April 1, 1940.

THE BRITISH EXCHEQUER

British Exchequer returns issued last night show that last week the war was costing £9,000,000 a day. Expenditure amounted to £64,940,000, of which the supply services took exactly £63,000,000. Revenue, in the same period, totalled £20,650,000.

No figure is now given for the floating debt. When last published a fortnight ago it stood at £1,662,605,000, showing a net increase of £173,405,000. During the past two weeks, however, expenditure has amounted to £136,346,000, with income of £41,522,000, leaving an apparent deficit of £95,724,000.

At the end of the fifteenth week of the financial year total expenditure was £833,060,990, against total revenue (excluding savings) of £229,691,748. Expenditure will virtually have reached the £900,000,000 mark when Sir Kingsley Wood presents his Emergency Budget next week. His predecessor, Lord Simon, estimated total expenditure at £2,666,790,000 and revenue at £1,234,861,000.

IRISH RAILWAY RECEIPTS

	Last Week. +Inc.–Dec.	Total 28 Weeks. +Inc.–Dec.
	£	£
Gt. Southern ...	84,062+1,999	2,163,463+98,633
Gt. Northern ...	30,450+1,350	645,300+80,000
Co. Dow'l	6,883– 628	93,597+16,391

Legal Tender Note Fund

The amount of legal tender notes outstanding on July 13 was £12,635,550 10/-, as compared with £12,566,525 on July 6. The amount issued during the week was £159,735, and the amount redeemed £120,633 10s

LONDON CLOSING PRICES

* Ex div. † Ex rights. ‡ Dealings prohibited. § Ex bonus.

BRITISH FUNDS, ETC.

	Closing.		Rise or fall
Consols 2½%	72	72⅛	
Do. 4%	107⅜	107⅝	+ ⅛
2½% War Loan	99⅛	99⅜	
War Loan 3% fully paid	100½	100⅝	+ ⅛
Funding Loan	110⅛	110⅛	+ ⅛
Victory Bonds	109	109⅛	
5% Conversion Loan	100⅞	101⅛	+ ⅛
2½% do.	99⅛	100	
4% do.	108⅛	108⅝	
2½% Land (1926/)	79½	79⅞	
3½% 4½% Land Bonds.	104	106	
India 3%	79½	79⅝	
Do 2½%	61½	61¾	— ⅛
Local Loans	85½	85⅝	+ ⅛
National Def 3½%	100	100⅛	

DOMINION AND COLONIAL STOCKS.

Australia 5% 1945 75...	101½	102⅛	
Do. 4% 1956-70.....	99½	100½	
Do. 3½% 1948-53	96	96	
Canada 4% 1940-60.....	99½	100½	
N.S.W. 5% 1945-65	101	102	
Do. 3½% 1942-62	98	99	
New Zealand 3% 1952-55	84	85	
Do. 3½% 1955-60	92	92½	
Nigeria 6%	112½	113⅛	
Queensland 5% 1940-60..	100	101	
S. African 3% 1954-64...	91	93	
Do 3½% 1955-63	97	99	
Australian 5% 1945-75	101	102	
Do. 4% 1940-60	98	99	
Victoria 4% 1940-60.....	98	99	
Do. 5% 1945-75	101	102	
W. Australian 5% 1945-75	101	102	
Do. 4% 1942-62	98	99	

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

32	Arg. Gt. W. 5% Deb.	22	25* — 1
50½	B.A. Mid. 4% Deb.	56	59
49	Do. 4% Deb.	51½	54½
49	Do. 4% Deb.	41	43 — 3
56½	B.A. & Pac. 4½ Deb.	59	61
20	Do. Con. 4½ Deb.	19	21½ — ½
3¾	Brazil 5% Funding	2½	4½
40½	Do. 4% Deb.	38	40
4	Canadian Pacific	5	6½
62¼	Do. 4% Deb.	60	62
50	Do. 5% Deb. 79-81	41	43 — 5
53½	Cord. Cen. 1st Deb.	59	61
99	Grand Trunk Guar.	101	103
21¼	San Paulo Ord.	29	34

FOREIGN BONDS.

10½	Braz. 6½% S.F. 57	9	
15	Do. 5% Fund '98	30	+ ½
12½	Do. 20-yr. Fdg. A	12½	+ ½
11½	Do. 40-yr. Fdg. B	12	
50	Chinese 4½% '98	27	— 3
21	Do. 5% 1912	11	+ 2
32	Czecho-Slov. Rds.	23‡	
66	Egyptian Unified...	52	56
10¾	French Loan 4%...		8*‡
49	German Potash...		12
39	Japan 6% 1924...		22½ + ½
44	Japan 5½% Conv.		44‡

BRITISH RAILS.

26	Great Western ...	26	27½
80	Do. 5% Pref. ...	70	74
11½	L.M.S. Ord.	10¾	11¾
51½	Do. 4% Pf.	41	44
77½	Do. 5% Red. Pf.	60	65
30	Do. 4% Pf. 1923	27½	30¼
4	L.M.S. 5% Pf.(Def.)	2	2½
3	Do. Def. Ord.	1¼	2½
29½	Do. 4% 1st Pf.	25½	28½
9½	Do. 4% 2nd Pf.	8	10
107	Do. 5% Sub Nigel	110	114
103	Do. 4½%	104	108
102	Do. 4%	102	107
58	Do. C	29	32
96	Southern Pf. Ord.	41	45 — ½
11¼	Do. Def. Ord.	8½	9½
80	Do. 5% Pref. ...	70	74

BANKS.

Bank of England.....	320	330	
Do. (Montreal.....	48	48	
Barclay "A"	35	38½	+ ½
Do. "B"	40/0	43/0	
Martins £20 (£5 paid)	6¼	7	
Midland	6½	7	
Nat. Prov

DUBLIN MAN'S WILL

COURT ORDER

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE HANNA.)

An order was made admitting the will of Edward Jordan, late of Reuben street, Rialto, Dublin, to probate in solemn form in the terms of a fair copy made and signed by counsel, as directed by the Court.

Mr. Jordan's estate was said to be valued at £1,300 odd, and in his original will he left savings certificates to his widow and daughter and relations and friends, and friends, and directed that the house, 21 Reuben street, should be sold to pay expenses in connection with the will.

The suit was brought by H. R. Moore, shop assistant, and Miss Kate Johnston, both of Ranelagh road, Ranelagh, Dublin, claiming a grant of probate of the will, which was dated May 16, 1928, with a testamentary paper of the same date, referred to in the will, without the alterations, obliterations and interlineations appearing in both documents.

THE DEFENDANTS

The defendants named in the summons were Mrs. Mary A. Jordan widow, and Mrs. Margaret Taylor, daughter, both of 3 Ratcliffe street, Preston, Lancashire, and Miss Mary Kelly, Miss Winifred Kelly and Miss Margaret Kelly, all of 2, Clare street, Rushton, near Blackburn Lancashire.

Mrs. Jordan and her daughter contested the plaintiffs' claim on the three usual grounds, and asked for liberty to apply for a grant of administration intestate to the the late Mr. Jordan.

The Misses Kelly submitted that any grant of probate of the will and document mentioned in it should include the alterations, and counter-claimed a grant of probate of the will and document referred to in it, with the alterations. They sued as executrices named in the will as so altered.

Mr. Nolan-Whelan, K.C. and Mr. Felix Sherry (instructed by Mr. L. Trant McCarthy) appeared for Mr. Moore and Miss Johnston; Mr. H. J. Moloney, K.C., and Mr. W. I. Hamill (instructed by Messrs. Porter, Morris and Co.) for Mrs. Jordan and Mrs. Taylor; and Mr. John Hooper (instructed by Mr. James J. O'Connor) for the Misses Kelly.

Mr. Justice Hanna allowed Mr. Nolan-Whelan's clients their costs out of the assets; and, observing that Mr Moloney's and Mr. Hooper's clients would get most of the estate, he directed that they should pay their own costs.

Mr. Nolan-Whelan said that Mr. Jordan, who was sixty years old, had been a sergeant in the British Army and had seen service in the Boer war and in the Great War. He had attained to commissioned rank before the Great War, and afterwards he was captain in the Supply Department of the British Army at Islandbridge, Dublin, and had been in charge of the stores there.

He had only one child Mrs. Taylor, and from both his wife and her he had been estranged for some years. He had bought the house 21 Reuben street and had lived there by himself, acting as his own housekeeper, and died in hospital on January 24 last year.

The will, continued Mr. Nolan Whelan, had been witnessed by Mr. Patrick Fay, who lived opposite to him, and a boarder of Mr. Fay. Mr Jordan went over to them with a pot of ink and a pen in his hand and some papers under his arm, but subsequently, as appeared from the document, the will had been altered.

The next-of-kin were the widow and the daughter, and the other defendants were the people whose names had been substituted in the will for the original executors. There had been no re-execution. The date of the will had been altered, and in the document referred to in it some things had been crossed out.

The testator, said Mr. Nolan Whelan, had been too careful.

A NEW FAIR COPY

Having heard the evidence, Mr. Justice Hanna said that he thought that he was entitled to assume that the will had been executed in accordance with Statute. In regard to the alterations in the document referred to in the will, it was clear that alterations could not be admitted to probate unless they also were duly executed, but the testator apparently thought that initialling them was sufficient. There seemed to be no substantial controversy about what items were in the will, and he would make an order admitting it to probate in solmen form in the terms of the fair copy, with an addition that he thought ought to be allowed. On the application for probate there would have to be a new fair copy made and signed by counsel for the probate officer.

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY

LAW NOTICES—Wednesday, July 17.

CUIRT ATHCHOMHAIRC CHOIRIULA.
(Court of Criminal Appeal.)

For to-morrow (Thursday), 18th July, before the Chief Justice, Interlocutory Applications. To be Present—The People (Attorney-General) v. Patrick Shannon; same v. Kevin Merriman; same v. Thomas Smith. (a) For extension of time; (b) to be present; same v. William McCarthy. For Monday, 22nd July, before the Court of Criminal Appeal, Applications for Leave to Appeal—The People (Attorney General) v. Christopher Curran; same v. James Carroll; same v. William Donnelly; same v. Walter Joseph Brady; same v. Thomas Woods (notice of withdrawal received); same v. James Fennell; same v. Patrick Shannon, same v. Kevin Merriman; same v. Thomas Smith.

CLARATHOIR NA gCOIMIRCITHE CUIRTE.
(The Registrar of Wards of Court.)

Before the Registrar, at 11-30 o'clock—In Parte Rohan, minors; Bower, minors; Hogan, minors; Feeney minors; Turbery, a minor; settle report R. Greene and Sons.

Before Mr. Maghan, at 11 o'clock—Vouch ac., F. Crosskery and Son.

AN ARD-CHUIRT BHREITHIUNAIS.
(The High Court.)

In Court 2, at 11 o'clock. Summons at Hearing—Cross v. Minister for Agriculture. Action—Duffy v. Moore.

ATHCHOMHAIRC CHUARDA.
(Circuit Appeals.)

In Court 1, at 11 o'clock—Butler v. Tomkin; Irish Land Commission v. O'Connor.

MAISTIR NA HARD-CHUIRTE.
(The Master of the High Court.)

Motions of Course. Summonses—Bracken v. Ballyshannon Town Commissioners; Trustee Act, application of O'Dwyer; Anderson v. Coghill; Insurance Act, application of Northern Assurance Co.; Munster and Leinster Bank v. McLoughlin; National Bank v. Murphy; McFerran and Guilford v. Keating; Strong v. Armstrong; Coleman v. Noonan; Dodd v. O'Meara; McKay v. Messrs. Brooks, Dublin Bespoke Clothing Co. v. Murphy. Motion on Notice—Revenue Commissioners v. Taylor.

BANKBUPTCY.

At 12 o'clock—Fitzpatrick, vouch ac., Collins and Son; Browne, reference, Maxwell, Weldon and Co.; do., tax costs, Thompson and Edwards.

OIFIG AN MHAISTIR-MHEASAIREACHTA.
(The Taxing Master's Office.)

Master O'Hanlon, at 11 o'clock—Slattery's Estate, Longfield, Jameson and Hamilton; same, A. Cox and Co.; same, Cathcart and Hemphill; Odlum's Estate, H. J. W. Downey; Neary's Estate, C. Magwood; same, J. L. Reilly; Coppoquin Estate Co.'s Estate, A. Carroll and Co.; Gordon's Estate, W. J. Fegan and Co.; Collis's Estate, Moore, Kiely and Lloyd; Moloney's Estate, N. F. Maher and Co.; Robbin's Estate, A. Mitchell and Co.; Ellis's Estate, H and W. Stanley; Brown's Estate, Dickie, Coulter and Hamill; Lynch's Estate, Molloy, Fayle and Co.; Healy's Estate, P. P. Wilkinson; Hunger Ford's Estate, Hayes and Sons; Gilligan's Estate, V. P. Shields.

Master Kennedy, at 11 o'clock—Exparte Taxations—Walsh and Settled Land Acts, T. J. Listen and Co.; Delaney v. Attorney-General, J. P. Carrigan and Son; same v. same, J. P. Carrigan and Son; Dalton v. O'Connor, M. A. Lynch; Sullivan v. Donegan, C. H. Denroche and Son; same v. same, E. Keegan; Miller, decd., Margetson and Greene; same, Corrigan and Corrigan; McMahon v. Fay, F. W. Gilligan.

OIFIG AN SCRUDORA
(The Examiner's Office.)

Before Mr. Adderley (Room 104), at 11 o'clock—M. A. Finegan, decd., Steen v. Attorney-General; O Droighneain v. Beaumont; J. Tully, decd., Toolan v. Costello Coupineer's Trusts, Bank of Ireland v. Whiteleg.

Before Mr Greville (Room 103), at 11 o'clock—Byrne v. Kelly; J. M. Cullinane, decd., Magner v. Sullivan.

Before Mr Murtagh (Room 108), at 11 o'clock—Co.'s Act and Dundalk and District Co-operative Society, Ltd.; M. Bourke, decd., Cleary v. Bourke.

Before Mr. Scanlon (Room 106), at 11 o'clock—Co.'s Act and Crooke Co-operative Agricultural Society, Ltd.

CHOIMHDUN TALMHAN Na hEIREANN.
(Irish Land Commission.)
(At Examiners' Chambers at 80 Merrion square.)

Before Mr. Sullivan at 11 o'clock—C. Welply and ors., vouch.

Before Mr. Grove-White, at 11 o'clock—M. A. McCarthy, vouch.

Before Mr. Naish at 11 o'clock—Aileen Lucy Fawcett, vouch.

Before Mr Spain at 11 o'clock—Harrison vouch.
At 86 Merrion Square.

Before Mr. O'Byrne at 11 o'clock—Bradshaw, vouch.

Before Mr. Tyrrell at 11 o'clock—Pentony, vouch.

Before Miss Phelan, at 3 o'clock—Law and anor., vouch.

Before Mr. P. Byrne, at 11 o'clock—Moloney, vouch. At 3 o'clock—Murphy vouch.

AN CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS CHUARDA.
(Circuit Court of Justice.)

Before Judge Davitt, at the Law Courts Chancery place, at 11 o'clock. Application for Summary Judgment—Cobbe v. Morgan (to be mentioned). Ejectments—Ward v. O'Donnell; Associated Properties Ltd. v. O'Connor; Geraghty v. Tidswell; Irish Civil Service (Perm.) Building Society v. Finnegan; Murphy v. O'Neill; Murphy v. Levins; Holmes v. Taaffe; Byrne and ors. v. Kavanagh; Mitchell v. Mulholland; Byrne and ors. v. McGrath; Christopher v. Levey; Murray v. Whelan (Doyle); Gray v. Kerrigan; Kerrigan v. Gray (Rent Act); Allen Ltd., v. McAdie; McAdie v. Allen, Ltd. (Rent Act); Byrne v. Tucker; Hesselberg v. Quinn; Acheson v. McNamara; McNamara v. Acheson (Rent Act); Hayden and anor. v. same (Rent Act); Acheson v. Hayden and anor.; Courtney v. Dockery and anor.; McDermott v. Simmonson.

AN CLARATHOIR CONTAE.
(The County Registrar.)

At 12.30 o'clock, Taxation of Costs—Associated Properties, Ltd. v. Wilmot; same v. Drake; same v. King; McDonald v. Davies; Dollard Printing House v. Molloy and Dean Ltd.

CUIRT DUITHCHE NA CATHRACH.
(Metropolitan District Court.)

At Morgan place, before Mr. MacCarthy, at 10.30 o'clock—Defended Civil Processes, adjourned from previous Session; Defended Ejectment Processes, adjourned from previous Sessions.

FISHERY APPEAL

MINISTER'S BOUNDARY DEFINITION

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE GAVAN DUFFY.)

The hearing of the appeal of Colonel E. G. K. Cross, The Fishery Galway, owner of a several fishery in the River Corrib, from a definition of the Minister for Agriculture defining the boundary between the tidal and freshwater portions of the river by an imaginary line across the landward faces of the abutments of the Claddagh Bridge was continued.

The grounds of the appeal were, among others, that the true boundary was farther inland and that no inquiry had been held by the Minister before he made the definition.

Mr. Frank FitzGibbon, K.C., and Mr. Newett (instructed by Messrs McDermot and Allen) appeared for Colone. Cross; and Mr. Kevin Dixon, K.C. and Mr C. O'Daly (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor) for the Minister.

Resuming his argument, Mr. Dixon said that there was no question of the definition being of any particular advantage in a material sense to the Minister or the State in the position in which it was put.

The appellant complained that in the position in which the boundary had been put his nets higher up the river could be abolished, but if such were the case compensation would be provided. At the same time the Minister would be bound by his own restrictions and would not be able to net higher up than his own boundary.

Arthur E. J. Went, B.Sc., Hons. (London), A.R.C.Sc. (Eng.), Inspector of Fisheries, replying to Mr. O'Daly described tests of the flora in the river and of water samples, and of the flow of the current under the Claddagh Bridge, applied by him in determining his recommendations to the Ministry regarding the boundary. He concluded that the freshwater extended down on normal occasions as far as the boundary defined by the Minister.

Mr. Justice Gavan Duffy—Do you mean a predominance of freshwater?

Mr. Went—Entirely freshwater, under normal circumstances.

Mr. O'Daly—Your various tests confirmed you in that view?—Yes.

The hearing had not concluded when the Court rose.

ACCIDENT TO AMERICAN MINISTER

Mr. David Gray, the American Minister in Dublin, had a rather severe accident when walking in the Legation grounds on Sunday last, when he sprained his ankle by falling into a well. He is able to be about with the aid of a crutch, and is making good recovery from the injuries he received.

DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT

FALSE PRETENCES

PRISON FOR TWO MEN

(BEFORE MR. HANNAN.)

John Byrne (38), Golden lane, Dublin, and William Bullon (38), Waterpark, Kinmage, Dublin, both unemployed pleaded guilty to a charge of going about endeavouring to procure charitable contributions by false pretences, and were sentenced to two months' imprisonment.

Miss Mary MacSwiney, 39 Upper Fitzwilliam street stated that on the evening of July 8th last man called on the telephone and asked to speak to her father, the Marquis MacSwiney. The man then said that he was Father Hooke, Haddington road, and that a friend of her father's at Lad lane was in some trouble.

The Rev J. Hooke, C.C., Haddington road, said that he did not give any authority to use his name.

The defendants also pleaded guilty to attempting to procure money from the Rev. Sister Monica, St. Vincent's Hospital, Dublin, by false pretences by representing that they were Corporation workers in need of money and that Mr. Frank Duff, Morning Star Hostel, would be responsible for the repayment of it.

LANDED IN DUBLIN

GREEK SEAMAN SENTENCED

Emmanuel Kafouros, a young Greek seaman, was sentenced to three months' imprisonment for landing in this country without authority. It was stated that Kafouros had come to Dublin in a Greek ship and failed to embark when the ship left port.

Mr. D. Ua Donnchadha, (Chief State Solicitor's office), prosecuting, said that in view of the present emergency the Department of Justice took a very serious view of offences of this kind.

Detective-Officer J. Gordon, Aliens' Department, Dublin Castle, said that when the defendant was charged he made a statement that owing to the dangers of the sea he was afraid to go away in the ship.

The defendant, in evidence, said that the captain of his ship owed him some money and he wished to have his discharge, his contract having expired, so that he might be able to return to his relatives in Greece. The captain, however, refused to pay him the money or relieve him of his contract. For these reasons and also because he was afraid of the dangers at sea he left the ship.

Aristides D. Spdthis, captain of another Greek ship, acted as interpreter.

SEQUEL TO BANK ROBBERY

ACCUSED MAN REMANDED IN CUSTODY

Robert Joseph Murphy (30), Leix road, Cabra, Dublin, described as a trades union official, was charged with the armed robbery of £500 10s. from the Cornmarket branch of the Royal Bank of Ireland on May 15th last. He was also charged with assault, with intent to rob three bank officials, and with having a firearm with intent to endanger life.

Detective-Inspector M. Reynolds gave evidence that he took Murphy into custody in O'Connell street yesterday. When he told him that he was being detained on suspicion of having been concerned in the bank robbery Murphy replied: "It's silly." When charged and cautioned at the Bridewell Murphy said: "I will say nothing until I see a solicitor; it's better to keep your mouth shut, as they say in America."

He was remanded in custody until Tuesday next.

Inspector J. O'Sullivan and Detective-Officers A. O'Connor and J. Brady had charge of the case.

DUBLIN CIRCUIT (CRIMINAL) COURT

HOUSE-BREAKING IN DUBLIN

FOUR YOUNG MEN SENTENCED

(BEFORE JUDGE SHANNON.)

Sentences of imprisonment were imposed on four young men, who pleaded guilty the previous day to charges of breaking and entering houses and stealing property on the north side of the city.

Aidan Flynn (19), seaman, Donnycarney road, Dublin, was sentenced to twelve months' imprisonment; Michael Oliver Hughes (20), Collins avenue, and Patrick McCormack, Collins avenue, were sentenced each to six months, and James Litchfield, mechanic, Malahide road, to four months' imprisonment.

Detective Sergeant MacSweeney produced in court £250 worth of jewellery he had found as the result of information given by Flynn since the previous hearing. He also said that a witness who was to have given evidence had told him that Flynn had threatened the witness, saying witness's life would be taken if he gave evidence in this case.

Judge Shannon complimented Detective Sergeant MacSweeney and Detective Sergeant King, and also Detective Officers McShane, P. Reilly and Shea for their very great ability in investigating this difficult case.

Mr. G. D. Murnaghan (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor) prosecuted; Mr. D. Bell (instructed by Messrs. Murtagh, Fay and and Co.) defended Flynn; Mr. P. de Burca (instructed by Mr. G. M. O'Brien) defended Litchfield; Mr. L. Trant MacCarthy, solicitor, appeared for Hughes, and Mr. G. M. O'Brien, solicitor, defended McCormack.

The loss of valuable possessions can be mitigated by a Norwich Union Policy. J. G. Aston, Mgr., 65 Dawson street, Dublin. (Advt.)

DUBLIN CIRCUIT COURT

SENTENCE REDUCED

(BEFORE JUDGE DAVITT.)

On account of her previous good character, Mrs. Mary Hutch, 24 Lower Gardiner street, Dublin, had, on appeal, a sentence of three months' imprisonment reduced to one month.

Hutch was convicted for undertaking for reward the nursing and maintenance of an infant, Patrick McManus, without giving forty-eight hours notice in writing to the Dublin Board of Assistance.

It was stated that the appellant had represented that she was an approved foster-mother, and that she had been paid 30s. on account.

Mr. L. Trant MacCarthy appeared for the appellant, and Mr. D. Greene (Messrs. Roger Greene and Sons) represented the Dublin Board of Assistance.

ALLEGED WORTHLESS CHEQUE

Phillip Gunne, Camden street, Dublin, was remanded until Tuesday next on charges of obtaining sheep from Joseph Gaffney, of Lucan, by means of a worthless cheque for £30 16s., and from John Taylor, cattle salesman, by means of a worthless cheque for £54 10s. Personal bail of £50 and two independent sureties of £25 each was fixed.

Detective-Officer A. O'Connor had charge of the case.

DONKEY AND PONY SHOW

BIG ENTRY FOR DUBLIN EVENT

Seventy-one entries—a surprisingly good total—supported the annual show of the Dublin Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals yesterday at 60 Lower Mount street, Dublin.

The donkeys and ponies shown, all the property of poor people who earn their livelihood with them in the city, were in excellent condition, having had to be entered three months prior to show date, during which their stables were periodically inspected and the animals kept under observation.

Every exhibitor complying with the conditions regarding proper shoeing and absence of marks or sores received a consolation prize to compensate for the loss of the animal's work for the day.

The results were:—

Jack Donkey.—1, Patrick O'Brien, 18 Coombe street; 2, Patrick Richardson, 10 Bath lane; 3, Francis Keogh, 3 Britain place.

Ponies, 12 hands and under—1, Thomas Curtis, 118 Bangor road, Kimmage; 2, Ed. Gray, 4 Ballybough lane; 3, Bartle O'Connor, 137 Stella Gardens.

Ponies, over 12 hands—1, Patrick Byrne, 4a Ormond Market; 2, Ed. Brazil, 23 Monasterboice road; 3, Patrick Flood, 14 Hill street.

Gelding Donkeys—1, Mt. Deighan, 25 Church road.

Mare Donkeys—1, Francis Ryan, 11m. Pearse House; 2, William Storey, 3 Benburb street; 3, William Doyle, 6 Dodder View.

Donkey Championship—1, Patrick Somerville, 1 Taffe's place reserve, Gerald Storey, 3 Benburb street.

Shoeing Ponies—1, Bartle O'Connor, Stella Gardens; 2, Patrick Flood, 14 Hill street; 3, Peter Fitzgerald, 4 Peterson's lane.

Shoeing Donkeys—1, William Doyle, 6 Dodder View; 2, Christina O'Connor, 137 Stella Gardens; 3, Peter Reddy, 33 North Brunswick street.

The judges were—Miss Hillas, chairman and hon. secretary of the Dublin S.P.C.A., and Mr. F. A. Hester, M.R.C.V.S. The shoeing was judged by Mr. E. G. Norton, Department of Technical Instruction. Mr. G. H. Parkes distributed the prizes to the winners.

DRAMA COURSES AT ABBEY THEATRE

Special courses in dramatic art, acting and production for school teachers and others are to begin in the Abbey Theatre on next Tuesday, the 23rd July, under the direction of Mr. Frank Dermody and Miss Ria Mooney. These courses will be divided into an elementary course, starting in July, and a more advanced course, beginning in the middle of August.

CORK MAN SENTENCED

MENTION OF DUM-DUM AMMUNITION

John Thornton, of 24 Greenmount Crescent, Cork, was sentenced by the Special Criminal Court in Dublin yesterday to two years' imprisonment for possessing revolver and rifle ammunition; twelve months' imprisonment for being a member of an unlawful organisation, and three months for the possession of incriminating documents. The sentences are to run concurrently.

Commenting on the fact that the ammunition—for which Thornton accepted responsibility—was flat-nosed and dum-dum, the President said: "The Court would have no hestitation, if the law allowed, in imposing a much greater sentence for the possession of such material."

Evidence was given by police officers that in the house of Thornton's uncle was found, in a raincoat pocket, revolver ammunition of different calibre, a round of rifle ammunition, and some empty revolver ammunition cases and bullet lead. Instructions for military operations were found on papers in the coat, and on the floor of the room were more rifle cartridges a rubber truncheon, two revolver bullets and a rifle clip. In an attaché case in another bedroom were two copies of "War News," and in a loft papers headed "Oglaig na h-Eireann," purporting to give names of "company officers." In the garden two rounds of home-made .45 revolver ammunition and a cash box with moulding sand were found. Thornton was not present during the search, but when told of the finds said: "I accept full responsibility."

An officer who interrogated Thornton said that he accepted responsibility for the documents and ammunition, but refused to give any explanation concerning them.

Mr. R. McLoughlin, K.C. (instructed by Mr. J. A. Geary, Chief State Solicitor's Office), prosecuted.

PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

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"FREE, BLONDE AND 21."
At 3.15, 5.40, and 8.20.

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Daily 2.35, 4.50, 7.10, 9.25
Welcome Return Visit of
DEANNA DURBIN, in
"3 SMART GIRLS."

CORINTHIAN. Daily, 2.30 to 11 p.m.
Louisee Platt and Donald Woods in
"FORGOTTEN GIRLS." At 2.55, 5.11, 7.29, 9.47.
Also John Wayne in "NEW FRONTIER."
At 3.58, 6.16, 8.34.

THEATRE DE LUXE.
DUBLIN'S SUPER CINEMA.....3.30 to 11 p.m.
SIR CEDRIC HARDWICKE, NAN GREY in
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JOHNNY DOWNS in "LADY BE GAY."

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Also JOE E. BROWN, in "BEWARE SPOOKS."
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TO-DAY:—CHARLES LAUGHTON in
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At MOUNTJOY SCHOOL GROUND,
(Strandville avenue, Clontarf),
At 3 p.m.
Members of the Cathedral congregation and their friends, old boys and their friends, and relations and friends of the boys will be welcome.
Those who intend to be present should notify the Headmaster, so that catering arrangements can be made.
TEA from 4.30 p.m.
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REGISTRATION OF CLUBS ACTS.
I hereby give notice that I have lodged an application for Renewal of Certificate of Registration of the Waterford County and City Club, situate at Rose lane, Waterford.
Dated this 15th July, 1940.
D. P. HALL, Honorary Secretary.

GRAND CANAL COMPANY.
Notice is hereby given that the Books for the Registration of the Ordinary and Preference shares of the Company will be closed from the 25th July, 1940, to the 8th August, 1940, both days inclusive.
(By Order)
THOMAS DELANEY, Secretary.
Grand Canal House,
James's Street Harbour, Dublin.
16th July, 1940.

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CONTROL OF IMPORTS ACT, 1934.
Orders under the above Act have been made by the Government appointing for the Quota Period, 7th August, 1940, to 31st October, 1940, the undermentioned quotas:—
QUOTA ORDER No. 39:
Cotton piece goods for bed sheets, ticks or mattresses, dungarees, and piece goods without pattern in colour, for shirts or pyjamas..... 50,000 sq. yds.
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Department of Industry and Commerce,
16th July 1940.
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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE.
AIR RAID PRECAUTIONS.
An Order was made on the 16th July, 1940, by the Minister for Co-ordination of Defensive Measures, under the Emergency Powers Order, 1939, entitled the Emergency Powers (Control of Hoards) Order, 1940. This Order will be published shortly, and copies will be purchaseable directly from the Government Publications Sale Office, 3/4 College street, Dublin; or through any bookseller.
Department of Defence, Dublin.
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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given by Mrs. Yohanna Boland of her intention to apply to the District Justice at Court No. 2, District Court, Inns Quay, Dublin, on Thursday, the 25th day of July, 1940, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for a Certificate under Section 6 of the Moneylenders Act, 1933, authorising the granting to her of a Licence under the said Act to carry on the business of Moneylender under the name of Yohanna Boland at 68 Charlemont Street, Dublin.
PORTER MORRIS and CO., Solicitors for Applicant, 10 Clare Street, Dublin.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
RICHARD VINCENT SLATTERY, Dunloe Castle, County Kerry, F.R.C.S.I.
All persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the above-named Deceased are requested to send written particulars of the same forthwith to the undermentioned Solicitor for the Executors.
Dated this 16th day of July, 1940.
EDMOND B. SLATTERY, Solicitor, Nelson Street, Tralee.

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The Irish Times

WEDNESDAY, JULY 17, 1940.

The Dead Hand

The news that the British Government is contemplating fresh measures for the control of the Press is giving rise to grave misgivings in London's newspaper circles. It seems that Mr. Duff Cooper, the Minister of Information, wishes to set up a Board of Censors, and, while no decision has been taken yet by the Government, Mr. Duff Cooper is a strong advocate of a more rigid control. The matter was discussed in an article in yesterday's *Daily Mail* by Mr. George Ward Price, one of the most distinguished and widely experienced of British journalists, who declares that Mr. Duff Cooper's aim is "to hamper, restrict and penalise the Press; to tighten upon it the grip of the dead hand of that masterpiece of British bureaucracy, the Ministry of Information, which is manned almost entirely by professional civil servants." Mr. Ward Price recalls the fact that, at the outbreak of the war, the Ministry of Information was found to have 956 officials, only 43 of whom were journalists. In consequence of a public outcry, certain prominent figures in Fleet street were invited to accept "advisory" posts in the Ministry; but, according to Mr. Ward Price, none of them stayed for more than a few weeks. "They found that they were wasting their time. The civil servants, with their experience in passive obstruction, proved too strong for them." Many civil servants, Mr. Ward Price continues, whose ideal it is to exercise power from behind a curtain of anonymity, detest the Press, and resent its freedom from control. "They are at liberty to detest it, but not to distrust it—for there is no organisation in which self-restraint and discretion are more strictly exercised." Everybody who ever has had any experience of work in a British newspaper office knows that Mr. Ward Price is right. Even in times of peace, journalists, in the course of their daily round, constantly receive items of information which, on grounds of public or of private interest, they do not print. Mr. Ward Price draws attention to the fact that "British journalists have long maintained a tradition of caution, fairness, and even generosity, to which all politicians owe much," adding that statesmen of real greatness, such as the present Prime Minister and Mr. Lloyd George, in their personal contacts with newspaper men, give them a fuller measure of their confidence than they would concede to many of their political supporters. "It is the second-rate people in our public life who want to curb and choke the Press," declares Mr. Ward Price. "The country is against all their officious schemes of restriction."

The problem of the freedom of the Press always becomes acute in war-time. No responsible citizen can object to some measure of Government control, because, when a country is at war, it obviously is essential that certain items of news shall not be revealed to the enemy. Mr. Ward Price's principal grievance is not against censorship, as such, but against censorship by officials who are not competent to sit in judgment upon responsible journalists. "There is no discipline," he writes, "to which British newspapers will not cheerfully submit, provided that it is imposed by people whose knowledge of Press conditions enables them to place the right value upon the secretive instincts of the Service Ministries and the petty suspicions of civil servants." One of the most valuable features of a free democracy is a free Press. In a list of five points, which President Roosevelt formulated recently as conditions precedent to the assurance of permanent peace in the world, the second was entitled: "Freedom of Information." This was important, he said, "because the whole country must be able to get news of what was going on in every part of the country and of the world, uncensored." There could be no stable world unless there was freedom of every means of distribution of information. There can be no doubt that a free Press is essential to a free people. Every tyrant starts his career by an attack on the newspapers, and nobody can blame the journalists of Great Britain if they are jealous of the rights and privileges of their craft, which, since the days of John Milton, have been guarded so vigilantly. It is generally admitted now that one of the contributory causes of France's collapse last month was the fact that from the beginning of the war the French Press had been muzzled completely. Up to the very end the people were encouraged to believe that everything was for the best in the best of all possible worlds. They never were told the truth; and when at last it began to dawn upon them their *moral* snapped, with the appalling consequences that have passed into history. It is most unlikely that the British Press will share the fate of the French, simply because the British people would not tolerate it. They realise that the men who are in charge of their newspapers are just as patriotic as any civil servant, and that they are far better qualified than any Board of Censors that Mr. Duff Cooper may establish to estimate the national value of news or expressions of opinion. As Mr. Ward Price asks pertinently: "When, in this war, has a responsible British newspaper published anything that might benefit the enemy or discourage our own people?" A military censorship is not only inevitable, but desirable. Censorship of opinion and of legitimate information, on the other hand, invariably defeats its own end. It indicates that the Government cannot trust its own people and places experienced journalists in the *rôle* of mischievous gossips.

The Third Angle

Japan is moving according to plan. Yesterday three important members of Admiral Yonsi's Cabinet—headed by General Hata, the War Minister—tendered their resignations. At first, apparently, the admiral was inclined to refuse them and to remain in office, but his earlier judgment—so we are told—was over-ruled, and he has tendered the resignations of the entire Cabinet to the Emperor. During the last year or two Japanese Cabinets have followed one another almost as rapidly as those of democratic France; but the trend always has been towards "militarisation." Stage by stage the influence of the "generals," or war party, has reinforced itself, and the democratic influences have declined. No democratic Government is safe in Japan; for it must face the appalling power of these generals, who, on the one hand, display all the traditional conservatism of their class, and, on the other hand, are imbued with imperialistic ideas which are no part of the country's traditional "ideology." In time of war militarism inevitably prevails—elsewhere as in Japan—at the expense of democracy, and ever since the "China incident" began the generals and the democratic groups have been at loggerheads. The democratic parties are concerned with the gradual decline in their country's standard of living, already lamentably low. They are eager to win the war in China, but they are not prepared to subordinate the country's welfare to that one ambition. The generals have no other purpose in mind but war and dominion. They are determined to win, however great the expense may be, and however the people may suffer; and they believe that, under the present system of democracy, or semi-democracy, Japan's resources cannot be mobilised with sufficient thoroughness and vigour. It is clear from this morning's reports that they have pressed the idea of a Fascist type of Government upon Admiral Yonai; that the admiral has failed to display the requisite enthusiasm, and that their nominees in his Cabinet have resigned, partly as a protest, and partly to force his hand. They have been joined by the "orthodox" wing of the important Seiyukai Party, which has voted in favour of a single political party—comparable, no doubt, with the National Socialists of Germany or the Fascists of Italy—and it hardly is too much to expect that Japan will be a totalitarian State in a matter of days.

Concerning the outlook of this one-party movement there can be no two minds. It proposes to prosecute the war in China with increasing vigour, to align Japan with the Rome-Berlin axis, and to challenge the influence in Asia of the democratic Powers. The general belief in Tokyo is that the notorious Prince Konoye, a former Premier, will be asked to lead the new Cabinet that will succeed Admiral Yonai's, and, in all probability, to become the first Duce of a totalitarian Japan. Circumstances have played into the hands of the war party. France is crippled; Great Britain, although still undefeated, is in no position to assert her rights in the Pacific with sufficient resoluteness; the United States is undecided whether the main threat to her security comes from the dictatorships of Europe or from Japan, and clearly cannot make up her mind to challenge one threat, lest the other may prove more formidable. During the last fortnight Japan has served demands upon Great Britain and France which she never would have dared to make if either Power had been free from embarrassments and able to call her bluff. She has planted an army upon the boundaries both of French Indo-China and of Hong Kong. If she so desires, French Indo-China almost certainly will fall an easy prey. Hong Kong, reinforced from Singapore, will be able to offer a longer resistance, but the British evidently are so dubious of their chances that they have opened negotiations with Tokyo for a settlement of outstanding differences. Japan has played an intelligent game. She has composed her bickerings—if one can describe as bickerings a series of "incidents" in which tens of thousands of troops were killed on both sides—with Soviet Russia, and she is taking full advantage of the situation in Europe. Her most formidable opponent—formidable because he constituted the most severe drain upon her resources—is Marshal Chiang Kai-shak and his huge armies of Chinese Nationalists; but the marshal's power will be sadly impaired by the cessation of supplies *via* French Indo-China, Hong Kong and the Burma road to Chung-king. America could check the Japanese advance, but the "isolationism" of the American Middle West extends not only to war in Europe, but to war in Asia, and it is not a force that any President can disregard. All the influence of Germany and Italy undeniably is being cast upon Japan's side, and will be more enthusiastic if her vaguely democratic form of government is replaced by a frankly totalitarian administration. The Oriental outlook is, indeed, black.

Biscuits

Army biscuits never have been classed at any time as exactly food for epicures, and, vast improvement though it may be on the old 1914-1918 variety, we doubt if the modern biscuit, complete as it may be in all the necessary vitamins, calories and mineral components, is still anything like "food for the gods." The biscuits, however, are admitted to be a "vast improvement." Old soldiers say, apparently, that war is a gift nowadays, and there is just no comparison in the "grub." Yet so far as the biscuits are concerned, the greatest difference between this war and the last would appear to be the form in which the biscuits arrive on the soldiers' table. According to a *Daily Telegraph* reporter, old campaigners look with astonishment at the daintily wrapped article which has taken place of the old hard biscuit. The famous old biscuit, made of wholemeal and water, was substantial, uncompromising and unadorned. The new one, on the other hand, which is very much smaller and thinner, but consists of a nourishing mixture of English flour, wholemeal, milk powder and sugar, arrives in neatly sealed cartons, the inner wrapping, according to official stipulation, being a grease-proof paper impregnated with glycerine! In the old days, apparently, the biscuits went off in any kind of receptacle which would hold good and plenty and would convey them in fairly edible condition to the hungry troops. Such a hit-and-miss system, however, would not serve in the advanced times in which we live now. In this war the biscuits are made up in 4-oz. sealed packets. A hundred of these packets are fitted into a special tin canister. Two canisters are fitted into a wooden box—made, doubtless, to exact specifications; and fifty pounds of biscuits are ready for transport. Moreover, the new biscuit, though as a balanced ration it may be perfect, is so fragile a wafer that it breaks on the slightest provocation—and, of course, broken pieces cannot be packed. They go to form a kind of luxury diet for poultry. The packing is said to cost more than the biscuits themselves, even after full provision has been made for the expense of feeding the poultry. The old 1914 biscuit may have had its defects; but, with all its improved qualities, the Army bakers probably would have a tough job on their part to show grounds for the 80 *per cent.* increase of cost. Of course, the boys at the front must have nothing but the best; but many people in Britain, remembering the importance of glycerine for war purposes and the insistent demands for the saving of paper and wood, must wonder if the "service" is not rather extravagant. After all, a good biscuit is always a good biscuit, whether it travels naked or encased in a three-ply wrapping of paper, metal and wood.

25 YEARS AGO

From the *Irish Times*, July 17, 1915.
The Coal Strike.
The South Wales coal strike, in which about 200,000 miners are involved, is no nearer solution. Two conferences took place in London yesterday between the coalowners and the miners' leaders, under the chairmanship of Mr. Runciman, President of the Board of Trade. It is understood that the wages terms now occupy only a secondary place in the dispute. The men now demand that the Royal Proclamation bringing the South Wales miners under the Munitions Act should be withdrawn.
Every pit in South Wales is now idle, and the men seem determined, despite the grave danger in which their action places the nation, to go on with the strike.
Saving Works of Art.
A telegram from La Panne states that during the bombardment of Ypres it was impossible to bring into safety all the works of art in the churches, convents and public buildings. Many valuables were buried under ruins. Some days ago the dangerous work of saving these was successfully begun, and up to the present over fifteen cartloads of valuables of all kinds have been sent to France.

G.C.M.G. FOR SIR RONALD CAMPBELL

The award by the King of the G.C.M.G. to Sir Ronald Hugh Campbell, until recently British Ambassador at Paris, was announced in last night's *London Gazette*.
Mr. Charles William Orde, who last March was appointed British Ambassador to Chile, receives the K.C.M.G.

COURT AND PERSONAL

FROM THE *COURT CIRCULAR*.
BUCKINGHAM PALACE, Tuesday.

The King and Queen, attended by the Lady Katharine Seymour and Commander Harold Campbell, R.N., visited the headquarters of the British Broadcasting Corporation this afternoon.

The Right Hon. Winston Spencer-Churchill, M.P. (Prime Minister and First Lord of the Treasury and Minister of Defence), had an audience of His Majesty this evening.

Commander Harold Campbell, R.N., has succeeded Lieutenant-Colonel the Hon. Piers Legh as Equerry-in-Waiting to the King.

Lady Cynthia Colville has succeeded the Hon. Margaret Wyndham as Lady-in-Waiting to Queen Mary.

The Princess Royal inspected Scottish military units in training recently.

The Duke of Connaught has been re-elected President of the Royal Society of Arts.

Lord Portal has returned to England.

Vice-Admiral Sir Humphry Walwyn's appointment as Governor of Newfoundland, has been extended for one year.

Mr. Ernest Bevin, Minister of Labour and National Service, will be the chief guest and speaker at the luncheon of the British Federation of Business and Professional Women in London to-day.

Miss Iris de Stacpoole has returned from Yorkshire to Tobertyman, County Meath.

Mrs. Kilkelly and Miss Edith Kilkelly have returned from Glengariff to Dublin.

Mr. and Mrs. John Izon will leave Dublin for Achill at the week-end.

The marriage arranged between Cecil J. Burgess, Brighton Vale, Monkstown, Co. Dublin, only son of Mr. John J. Burgess and the late Mrs. Clare Burgess, and Claire, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Maguire, Elgin road, Dublin, will take place at St. Mary's, Haddington road, on Wednesday, 7th August.

The marriage arranged between Arthur Alfred Rudge, elder son of the late Mr. and Mrs. A. Rudge, Bristol, and Eileen Margaret, elder daughter of the late Mr. J. Speer and Mrs. Speer, 25 Earl street, Mullingar, will take place early in August in Bristol.

The marriage arranged between Anthony, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Litton, Glenamuc, Kilternan, Co. Dublin, and Marion, youngest daughter of the late James Dermot Daly, of Castle Daly, Co. Galway, and Mrs. Daly, 11 Palmerston road, Dublin, will take place next month.

The marriage arranged between Frank Edge, second son of the late William Merrick, of Clara, and Mrs. Merrick, Dublin, and Phyllis Evelyn, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dobbs, Belfast, will take place quietly in Clara on Saturday, 3rd August.

Dr. Kevin Malley has left 57 Merrion square until August 1st.

Switzers are offering exceptional Sale Values in Ladies' Summer Underwear (Vests and Panties), including Milanese, Fine Art, Silk, Wool, and Silk and Wool.
Leaders of Fashion in all Spectacle Wear.—Dixon and Hempenstall, Grafton street.
Richard Alans have remarkable bargains at their Sale at 58 Grafton street in Summer Washing Frocks and Printed Afternoon Gowns. The Coat and Costume, Jumper and Blouse Departments are also showing excellent value and worth your inspection.
Fashionable Spectacles at Moderate Prices. Pollock and Co., Ltd., 50 Grafton street.
Casual coat, smartly cut and full length, in beige brown check, for 1½ gns. at Slyne's Summer Sale, 71 Grafton street.

PASSENGERS BY B. AND I. LINE.
Among the departures were:—Rev. J. S. Kelly, Mrs. Pearson, Mrs. M. J. King, J. A. Crockett, W. B. P. England, Mrs. Shields, Miss Mullarky, J. Henderson, J. McGuire.

14 College Green is a branch of Stephens and Bourke, Ltd., Shoemakers, 26 Stephen's Green, Dublin.

At her wedding Miss O'Connor, of Ashgrove Lodge, Dun Laoghaire, wore a Surf Blue Mousse Crêpe Frock with Platina Fox Cape. Going away the bride wore a Tailored Suit in Earth Brown, also Travel Coat by Marjorie Boland, 86 Grafton street, Dublin.

The smart Oasis Blue Frock and Bolero worn by Miss Neary, of Bray, at her wedding, also Travel Coat were by Marjorie Boland, 86 Grafton street, Dublin.

Marjorie Boland, 86 Grafton street, Dublin, is showing Further Reductions in Coats, Suits, Two-Pieces, Wool and Print Frocks.

To LADIES.—Medical Appliances, Belts, etc., Artificial Silk Elastic Stockings which defy detection, or Lastex and Lastestar Stockings which need no ironing hose and wash well. Lady attendants.—Fannin and Co., Ltd., 41 Grafton street.
Sharpley's, Specialists Baby Linen Nursery, Accouchement Sets, Price List—2 Nassau st. Dublin.

WHEN ORDERING FIREWOOD
WORK OF LABOUR YARD, RINGSEND

The work being carried on at the Church of Ireland Work-Aid Home and Dépôt for Men, York terrace, Ringsend, Dublin, was described as magnificent by the Archbishop of Dublin at the annual meeting yesterday.

The Archbishop said that there was a very real danger of the Church Army in London—which had given them such extraordinarily lavish help—saying: "We cannot continue to help you in the present circumstances; you will have to stand on your own legs." For that reason he appealed to all their friends and supporters to become missionaries for the Labour Yard, talking about it wherever they went, and helping it in every way that they could. One way in which people could help was by ordering their firewood from the yard. It might be that the wood there was slightly more expensive, but he asked them to compare it with wood purchased elsewhere, and they would find that they got excellent value.

The Rev. R. E. Weir, M.A., St. Matthew's, honorary secretary and treasurer, said that 6,737 days' work had been provided during the year, an increase of about 900 over the previous year, which indicated that the need still was great. The committee earnestly supported the appeal towards the lifting of the burden from headquarters central fund. A new workshop had been erected at a cost of over £800.

Mr. Frank A. Lowe and Mr. W. B. Conyngham warmly commended the work to everybody interested in social work.

The Rev. R. Northridge, M.A., chairman of committee, proposed, and Mr. F. Wright seconded, a vote of thanks to the Archbishop.

Mr. Charles H. Murphy, who was to have spoken, was unavoidably prevented from being present.

THE AMERICAN LEGATION

Mr. Vincent Chapin, who was recently transferred from the American Embassy in London to Dublin, has now arrived here, and will take up duty as Secretary to the Legation; in the room of Mr. John H. MacVeagh, who is transferred to the State Department in Washington. Mr. MacVeagh is awaiting travelling facilities to cross the Atlantic, and in the circumstances these are difficult to procure. He has been in Dublin for the past two years, and was known as a very popular and efficient official.

THE SUN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Rises	5.18	5.19
Sets	9.44	9.43
Lighting-up Time	10.44	10.43

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Morning	10.46	11.35
Evening	11. 9	11.55

HIGH WATER AT OTHER PORTS.

	Morning.	Evening.
Belfast	10.15	10.42
Cork	4.36	5. 2
Cobh	4.33	4.39
Drogheda	10.34	10.57
Dundalk	10.31	10.54
Galway	4.25	4.41
Kinsale	4.22	4.48
Limerick	5.55	6.11
Sligo	5. 3	5.29
Waterford	5.34	6.0

LONDON LETTER

FEWER MOTOR CARS

50 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
TUESDAY NIGHT.

OWING to various restrictions on their use comparatively few private cars are now to be seen on the roads, and further restrictions may be necessary in the near future. The question of compelling all vehicles likely to be used in certain areas to be camouflaged, or at least painted a dull colour, is under consideration. This will be necessary, as there is a danger of highly-polished car coachwork revealing from the air the presence of a road. All military cars have now been camouflaged, and the methods by which this is carried out have been made so effective that it has been found difficult to detect the presence of the cars even at a short distance.

Fresh Attack on Press

In newspaper circles there is a suspicion that a fresh attack is being prepared against the Press by some members of the Ministry of Information. It has not escaped notice that the Ministry of late has been very active in telling newspapers how they should be conducted, and it is noted that the men leading a fresh attack on the liberties of the Press are the same as those who led the assault which failed completely. It seems to have been overlooked at the Ministry of Information that the public really want news of a reliable character, and as long as that is supplied and they have no unnecessary restrictions placed upon them, newspapers are ready to do their utmost for the country.

Eggs Scarce

Eggs are extremely scarce in London just now, and, in fact, it is almost impossible to buy them in the shops. This was not unexpected following upon the loss of supplies from Holland, Denmark, and the Baltic countries. At the same time the rationing of poultry feeding-stuffs is greatly reducing home production. The fact that the Ministry of Food prescribed only a maximum retail price and not a maximum wholesale price is responsible for something of a muddle in distribution, as the demand is so great that poultry farmers have been able to sell eggs wholesale at the full retail price, with the result that shopkeepers can only handle them at a loss.

The Coal Supplies

The appeal to householders, municipalities, and gas and electric companies to lay in now as much coal as they can is one of the steps taken to ensure that there will be no repetition of last winter's shortage. The Government is laying down large stocks at centres convenient for redistribution in the event of any local shortage, and these stocks will be regarded as reserve supplies which will be drawn upon only should the necessity arise. The railways and the public utility concerns are co-operating to ensure adequate supplies throughout the winter, when transport facilities are less favourable than at the present time. The first of the coal dumps is being built at Camberwell, and it is probable that there will be about 150 dumps in the London boroughs. These will be on the Government account, but merchants and householders are urged not to omit the precaution of getting reserves for themselves.

Purchase Tax To Go?

The purchase tax is to be greatly modified, if not withdrawn altogether, when Sir Kingsley Wood introduces his Supplementary Budget next month, and it is the opinion that it will be replaced by a graduated tax to be the highest on luxuries. Sir John Simon, when he outlined this tax proposal last April, expected that it would bring in two hundred million pounds per annum as a beginning, and it will be difficult for his successor to find a tax that will yield as much. The income tax is to be increased, but not to the extent of another two shillings and sixpence in the pound as predicted, and another shilling in the pound may be the full extent of the addition, with possible changes in the personal allowances. No time is to be lost in putting the Budget changes into operation, and the necessary Finance Bill will be passed as soon as possible after the introduction of the Budget.

IRISHMAN'S DIARY

The Flower Baskets

Some people hold that, while half Europe is at war, and we ourselves are hovering on the brink of goodness only knows what, it is no time for fripperies—in other words, those little amenities which make life a trifle pleasanter.

The comment was made to me when I expressed appreciation of those flower-filled baskets which now adorn the light-standards of our streets in summer. I cannot agree. It pleases me greatly to see that the baskets have made their appearance this summer as usual.

They are charming, those little baskets. When the sun shines, they lend an air of gaiety to the streets; and when the sun has hidden itself, as happens with such regrettable frequency, their green and red helps to create an illusion that it still is there.

Let us keep up these little decencies, by all means. They cannot cost a great deal, and the pleasure that they create is of the more desirable kind. It may be no time for hysterical amusements while the nations are at one another's throats, but—give us our flowers!

Drogheda Grammar School

I came across an "Old Boy" of the Grammar School, Drogheda—which, by the way, has been modernised and reopened during recent months—yesterday, and he told me several things concerning that old foundation that I had not heard previously.

The conversation started when he pointed out that the garden fête held there last Saturday was opened by Lord Holm-Patrick who is a great-grandson of the "Iron Duke" of Wellington; and there is a strong tradition—though not, as it appears, a certainty—that the Duke received, at least, a part of his education at the Grammar School. Further details on the subject appeared in this newspaper yesterday.

Evidently a large number of important Irishmen, round about a century and a half ago, were "old boys" of the Grammar School—so many, in fact, that the pre-Union Irish House of Commons used to adjourn for the school's Speech Day.

Henry Grattan was one of those "old boys" of the time.

Home-brewed Farce

The Gaiety Theatre promises us a

ROOSEVELT MAKES MYSTERY

Nation Guessing On His Decision

MR. FARLEY AGREES TO NOMINATION

THE puzzle whether Mr. Roosevelt will be nominated for a third term of office remains unsolved. Early yesterday Mr. Roosevelt told his Press conference that an announcement as to whether he wished to run as a candidate would be made on his behalf on the wireless by Senator Barkley, who addressed the Chicago Convention.

Senator Barkley would only say that he would present to the Convention a statement of President Roosevelt's attitude towards the "third term and other Convention questions," and that the statement would take about two minutes.

Mr. Farley told Press representatives yesterday that he would have his name placed for nomination along with those of Mr. Garner, Senator Wheeler and Senator Tydings, thus preventing the renomination of President Roosevelt by acclamation.

Mr. Farley said that he had not spoken to President Roosevelt yesterday, though he had on the previous day. He would not divulge the nature of the conversation.

Miss Frances Perkins, U.S. Secretary for Labour, openly forecast Mr. Roosevelt's nomination for a third term as President when the Democratic Party Convention was resumed yesterday.

(SEE LATE NEWS COLUMN.)

WOMAN SPEAKER'S HINT

There was an atmosphere of lethargy among the delegates, who will take little interest in the proceedings until Thursday's nominations begin.

The session opened with a prayer for peace.

After Miss Perkins had spoken, Mrs. T. H. McAllister, Director of the Women's Division of the Democratic National Committee, delivered an isolationist speech, in which she declared: "As women we are opposed to war. . . . The people of the new world do not need to share in the fatal hatreds between races, classes and creeds which have turned the old world into a shambles."

Mrs. McAllister declared that the United States would never compromise with the dictators or yield to threats.

This has been one of the themes running through all the speeches to date, while suggestions that the fullest possible aid should be given to peoples fighting for liberty have been conspicuous by their absence. The reason is that the Democrats have to contend with an even stronger isolationist minority than had the Republicans. The interests of the party unity require that the isolationist minority should be placated.

Efforts continued throughout the day to persuade delegates pledged to vote for Mr. James Farley, Postmaster-General and Chairman of the party's National Committee; Mr. Garner, the seventy-one years old Vice-President, or Senator Wheeler, the isolationist, to vote instead for Mr. Roosevelt on the first ballot. In this way Mr. Roosevelt's nomination could be by acclamation. So far, however, these efforts have been unsuccessful.

A pledge never to send an American soldier or sailor into an aggressive war or to the European or Asiatic battlefields was put forward by one group during the discussion on party policy.

Mr. Roosevelt has been taking a more active part in the convention with frequent telephone conversations. There is, however, no indication whether he intends to come to Chicago even if nominated. The delegates pledged to nominate him for a third term are more than sufficient to ensure victory.

"MORE IMPORTANT THAN CONVENTION NEWS"

PRESIDENT'S OPINION OF DEFENCE DECISIONS

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

WASHINGTON, Tuesday.

Mr. Roosevelt told his Press Conference that an announcement as to whether he wished to run as a candidate for a third term of office as President would definitely be made on the wireless from Chicago to-night by Senator Barkley. The announcement would be made after the Senator had addressed the Democratic Party Convention.

The President made this statement when asked why he had not made his decision known earlier.

Making public reports given him as a result of various decisions of the National Defence Commission, Mr. Roosevelt said that they would be as important, if not more so, than news from the Convention.

Asked why he so regarded these reports, the President inquired whether his questioner would not put the safety of his country before anybody's convention.

Asked whether he contemplated making a personal statement after Senator Barkley's announcement, Mr. Roosevelt said that he had told the newspaper men all he intended to tell them.

The report of the Defence Commission, which President Roosevelt handed to the journalists, showed, he said, extremely good progress and revealed that the industrial production division alone had awarded contracts totalling $1,662,000,000 (about £415,500,000) since June 6.

Reports were obtained from all the divisions covering every phase of the defence programme to date.

HUGE SUMS FOR DEFENCE

The report from the production division, headed by Mr. William S. Knudsen, President of General Motors, showed that the award of contracts including battleships, 'planes, tanks, ammunition and guns, the value of the contracts placed since June was 1,391,000,000 dollars (about £347,750,000) for the Navy and 271,000,000 dollars (about £67,750,000) for the Army.

The materials division reported that substantial supplies of strategic and critical raw materials were being acquired, and that a plan was shortly expected to be worked out for supplying synthetically in an emergency most of the rubber needs of the United States.

Plans were also under way for storing underground large stocks of petrol of a high octane number.—(Reuter.)

DEGREE OF HELP FOR BRITAIN

PARTY PLATFORM SUGGESTIONS

An Associated Press message says that all suggestions of the party platform were for a firm attitude in foreign affairs and anti-Totalitarian policy, but differed in the degree of help to be given to Britain.

CHAIRMAN'S SUPPORT FOR ROOSEVELT

WHEN THE U.S. WOULD FIGHT

CHICAGO, Tuesday.

Accepting the permanent chairmanship of the Democratic Party Convention, Senator Barkley called on the convention to fight on President Roosevelt's record of defence and foreign policies.

The U.S., he said, must "fight against those who would assault our territory, independence, ideals, vital interests, or anything we are committed or pledged to defend and preserve, whether the assault is launched from a foreign source or instigated by disloyal subversive influences within our borders."

Senator Barkley said that did not mean that "we desire war or propose to become involved in or send armed forces to conflicts abroad, but it does mean that we propose to see that at least one Continent shall be kept free for the exercise of the individual and collective rights and privileges of free men."—(Reuter.)

BALKAN TALKS

GERMANY AS GO-BETWEEN

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

BUCHAREST, Tuesday.

It is understood that Germany has advised Rumania, Bulgaria and Hungary to settle outstanding territorial differences between them, with Germany as their go-between. Negotiations to this end are stated to be now in progress between Sofia, Bucharest and Budapest. Germany is chiefly concerned with the future status of the 800,000 members of the German minority in Rumania, most of whom are in Transylvania. The German plan would concentrate the majority of them in one region of Transylvania and grant it autonomous rights. Strong objections are already expressed in Rumania to any such further territorial concessions.

The expected anti-Jewish laws have not yet been promulgated, probably because they would seriously disrupt the economic life of the country. The Jews are being subjected to petty annoyances, and many from the professional classes have lost their posts.

BAHAMAS WELCOME THE DUKE OF WINDSOR

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

NASSAU, Tuesday.

The Bahamas House of Assembly has unanimously passed a resolution thanking the King for appointing the Duke of Windsor as Governor.

The House also voted that a message of welcome be sent to the Duke.

Such resolutions are unprecedented in the history of the islands.

CROSSING ATLANTIC BY CLIPPER

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

LISBON, Tuesday.

The Duke and Duchess of Windsor have booked passages by clipper to New York and are expected to fly from New York to the Bahamas by special plane immediately on arrival. No definite date has been fixed for their departure, but it is reported that they will leave this week.

BIG SEIZURE ON THE BORDER

LORRIES, TEA, SUGAR, EGGS, FLOUR AND CORN

Motor lorries, numerous chests of tea, tons of flour, hundreds of dozens of eggs and huge quantities of sugar and corn have been seized as alleged contraband as a result of police activity on the Armagh border.

Some of the seizures were made on border roads and some in houses in Northern Ireland, where the foodstuffs are alleged to have been stored pending further delivery.

At one house a party of police, under Sergeant McClean (Keady) took possession of 210 dozen of eggs and half a ton of flour.

A lorry containing half a ton of sugar and 23 bags of corn was also seized by this patrol, while at another house the haul amounted to 2½ chests of tea.

One chest of tea and a bag of sugar were taken at another house by a constable, while near Middletown a lorry with four cwt. of sugar was taken possession of by Constable Gordon.

NEW G.O.C. NORTHERN IRELAND DISTRICT

MAJOR-GENERAL PAKENHAM-WALSH

Major-General R. P. Pakenham-Walsh has been appointed G.O.C. Northern Ireland District, it was announced in last night's *London Gazette*. He takes the place of Major-General H. J. Huddleston, who is to be specially employed, and who is granted acting rank of Lieutenant-General.

Major-General Pakenham-Walsh was in October last year promoted Engineer-in-Chief, British Forces. His outstanding ability has brought him rapid promotion.

General Huddleston joined the Coldstream Guards as a ranker and won a commission in the Boer War. He took part in eight campaigns before the present war.

AXIS "LAST OFFER TO BRITAIN"

May Be Made In Reichstag Speech

SUBMIT OR BE DESTROYED

HITLER is preparing a last three-point offer to Britain for a settlement of the war. It may be made in a speech before the Reichstag within the next few days.

While these reports persisted in Rome and Berlin to-day, says Associated Press, the Axis capitals could not agree whether Count Ciano, the Italian Foreign Minister, was going to Berlin. Diplomatic circles in Rome said that he was. Informed circles in Berlin discounted the report.

Berlin also denied that M. Molotov, the Soviet Premier, was arriving there.

"FRIGHTENING BRITAIN"

Rome continued its attempts to frighten Britain which were voiced yesterday by Virginio Gayda, the Fascist spokesman, who indicated that the Axis would give Britain a chance "to surrender or be destroyed."

Diplomatic circles in the Italian capital said that Ciano and Hitler would draft a speech in which Hitler might give Britain a chance to surrender before the German attack. Meanwhile another report of German preparations against Britain came from the newspaper *Petit Dauphinois*, of Grenoble, which is often used for official announcements of the Petain Government.

ATTACK HELD UP

GENEVA, Tuesday.

A Berne dispatch in the *Petit Dauphinois*, which may be another German propaganda effort, stated to-day that a Nazi expeditionary force of 600,000 men is assembled in French Channel ports, but that the attack on Britain is being held up while Hitler considers the arguments of his Generals.

The report, attributed to foreign diplomatic quarters in Switzerland, said that the troops in transports, guarded by gunboats, submarines and 'planes, and preceded by minesweepers and bombers, was to have invaded England on the night of July 9-10 under a plan perfected by General Keitel, Chief of the German High Command.

JULY 19 MENTIONED

General von Brauchitsch argued that the British mines were too great a menace and Hitler had decided on a modification of Keitel's plan of attack.

The attempted invasion might be made on July 19, it was added.

NEW YORK VIEW OF INVASION

THREE MONTHS MAY SEE BRITAIN PAST CRISIS

Prospects of a successful invasion of Britain are discussed by writers in New York and Clermont Ferrand, France, to-day. The Wall Street *Journal* comments:—"Three months' endurance might well see England past the crisis. That is the meaning of Mr. Churchill's summary of her readiness now—as she was not a month ago—to meet whatever is to come, and it is a very imposing aggregate defensive battle strength he listed.

"There is a favourable circumstance not specifically included in the Churchill summary, although implied—her armies hold the short inside lines, whereas the powerful Nazi war machine is now dispersed over Central Europe, Norway, Denmark, the Low Countries and two-thirds of conquered France."

FRENCH CRITIC'S VIEW

General Duval, the military critic of the *Journal*, says:—Germany must land numerous and well-equipped troops.

"The Germans could only succeed in doing this by great skill and audacity, although the possibility is not excluded. If ever the Germans seize a sufficiently large area for disembarking, Britain must be considered as lost.

"I do not believe that, if Britain's mastery of the sea cannot prevent the passage of enemy troops, it can deprive them of their lines of communication."—Press Association War Special.

HITLER'S ATTACK PLANS

AN ITALIAN PICTURE

ROME, Tuesday.

In a despatch that paints in lurid colours Hitler's preparations for an attack on Britain, a special correspondent of the *Popolo d'Italia* writes to-day:—

"All the zone from which the attack will be launched is closely watched. The aerial vigilance constitutes a fantastic system to the eyes which see the guns firing.

"In short, this colossal organisation is a work of art, of power and precision, and also of invisibility. Absolute secrecy is observed on the subject of future operations.

"But," says the writer, "it is certain that the extent and abundance of the resources prepared by Germany for the attack are such that, if Churchill had seen them, he would not have pronounced his last presumptuous and stupid speech."

The correspondent talks elsewhere about "an extraordinary number of 'planes ready to go into action from Brest to Narvik, gigantic preparations along some hundreds of kilometres of the coast, and a mass of services in the rear still more formidable."—(Press Association War Special.)

NORTHERN JUDGE'S CONDEMNATION

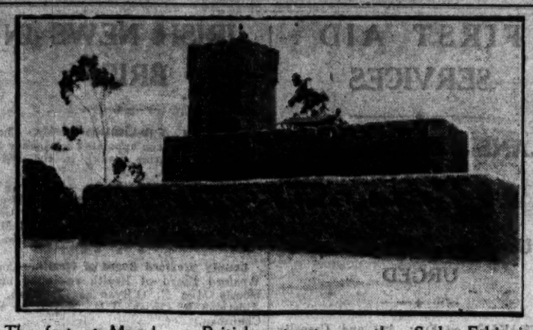
Mr. Justice Megaw, addressing the Grand Jury at the Summer Assizes for Co. Down, at Downpatrick yesterday, said that specially reported cases had increased by forty. This increase arose to some extent from housebreaking, while far the greater number referred to threatening notices. House-breaking was mostly the work of youths of eighteen years of age, and that was not an encouraging factor.

As to the threatening notices, there were 24 of these, and they were concerned with the sale of a newspaper. In one case the notice was followed by the explosion of a bomb.

Intimidation of that sort could not be regarded lightly. It was a very disturbing matter. It was the covert weapon of gangsters who sought to exercise a force that would paralyse the ordinary law, and all members of the community should be vigilant to have all perpetrators of that sort brought to justice.

THE WORK OF THE R.U.C.

The police were alive to all the dangers with which the community was faced, and the Royal Ulster Constabulary had the full confidence of the law-abiding community. The officers and men of the force were zealous to uphold the honour and efficiency of their force, and he hoped that the police in the discharge of their duty would not be subject to captious criticism from any quarter.



The fort at Moyale, a British outpost on the Sudan-Ethiopian frontier, which had been under siege from Italian forces.

WAR ZONE COURTS FOR BRITAIN

Death Penalty For Looting

NO JURY AND NO APPEAL

SIR JOHN ANDERSON, British Home Secretary, moving the second reading of the Emergency Powers (Defence) (No. 2) Bill in the House of Commons last night, announced that the Special War Zone Courts to be set up under the bill would be able to impose the death penalty for looting.

There would also be drastic penalties, including the death penalty, for forcing a way past a military picket or overpowering a sentry.

OBJECTS OF THE COURTS

Sir John said the object was to avoid the necessity of establishing anything in the nature of military courts. All the Government had in mind was the establishment of civilian courts of a somewhat special character.

The Special Courts would operate only where, owing to military developments, the ordinary procedure would not fully meet requirements, and for only so long as the emergency continued.

Such would be the case where, after an attempted invasion by sea or air, or after an exceptionally severe air attack, a state of things prevailed in which it was necessary to have courts capable of dealing with grave offences quicker than would be possible under the ordinary processes.

Suitable men of judicial rank would be selected by the Lord Chancellor as Presidents of Special War Zone Courts.

NO APPEAL

In practice these courts would deal with the more serious offences from the military point of view. The Special Courts would be of civilian character, and the ordinary rules of evidence would apply. They would differ from Courts of Assize or Quarter Sessions, in that there would be no jury and no appeal.

They would be empowered to impose any sentence, including the death sentence, the President being able to submit to the Home Secretary, with a view to commutation, death sentences in cases where a delay in execution was justified.

If a case was brought before Justices which appeared more appropriate for a War Zone Court, the War Zone Court could take the case out of the hands of the Justices.

Two Justices who had knowledge of local circumstances and would be able to assist with their advice would be associated with the President of the Court. They would not be able to override the President's judgment as regards conviction or sentence.

Several Labour members rose to points of order.

Mr. Shinwell (Labour, Seaham) asked whether they could discuss what in effect were regulations which were not before the House.

The Speaker asked that the Minister should be allowed to make his speech without constant interruption.

Continuing, Sir John Anderson said there seemed some unreality in some of the comments that had been made. Did they appreciate that the Government were trying to secure that the inevitable military rule which must intervene in the vital interests of the country in certain circumstances should give place, as soon as possible, to something based on normal procedure.

SEVERE PENALTIES

It might be necessary that there should be strengthening of the ordinary law. For example, it was proposed to provide by Defence Regulation that the Court should be empowered to impose the death penalty for looting. Some less penalty could, of course, be inflicted.

Drastic penalties, including the death penalty, would be provided by regulation for forcing a safeguard—that was forcing a way past a military picket or overpowering a sentry. It might not be necessary to put the scheme into operation at all, but it was thought right that preparations should be made.

Answering questions, Sir John said that the civilian authority, presumably the Home Secretary would decide whether the situation required the institution of Special Courts. The scheme was applicable to the whole of the United Kingdom.

Mr. Hore-Belisha (L. Nat., Devonport) considered that, while the Home Secretary introduced the bill as a measure to protect civilians from harsh military procedure, actually it did the reverse. By allowing the bill to go through in its present form the House would be handing over to the Executive most extreme powers without any of the safeguards mentioned by the Home Secretary.

Colonel Clifton Brown replied that their voices did not reach him.

On it being moved that the bill be committed to the whole House, the members who had protested beheved a division.

The bill was committed by 124 votes to 16.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S REPLY

The Attorney-General (Sir Donald Somervell), replying, declared: "It cannot be said too forcibly that these regulations are to deal with something which may happen and which has not happened for a thousand years—invasion."

The bill was the solution of a problem which certainly needed solution, and the Government believed it to be on the right lines. It would fulfil military requirements and meet the general wishes of the people.

Mr. Lees-Smith (Labour, Keighley) said that in view of the assurances given by the Government he would not advise his friends to make any difficulty in the second reading.

IRISH SHOOTING RECALLED

I.L.P. MEMBER'S COMMENT

Mr. Campbell Stephen (I.L.P., Camlachie), discussing the Emergency Powers (No. 2) Bill in the House of Commons to-night, said he preferred civilian to military tribunals. Reference had been made to the fairness of courtsmartial in France.

"I think of an experience in the last war," he said, "when in Ireland an eminent Irishman, Mr. Sheehy Skeffington, was sentenced to death, and the sentence carried out, by an officer who was afterwards adjudged to be insane. I do not want anything like that to happen in this war," he said.

Mr. Stephen criticised magistrates with the "jitters," and said that, no doubt, if the 74 years old man who had been sent to prison by a civilian court for expressing his opinion had been before a military tribunal he would have been sentenced to death.

Mr. Nield (C., Chester)—Under what section?

Mr. Campbell Stephen—Probably under the same section that Mr Skeffington was sentenced to death.

Speeches which followed were generally critical of the bill.

Sir John Anderson said an undertaking that words will be introduced into the bill making it plain that the kind of court to be set up must be a civilian court. He was ready, he said, to arrange to discuss the terms of the Regulations informally with a few representative members of the House.

After Colonel Clifton Brown (Deputy Chairman of Committees) announced that the second reading was carried, Mr. Silverman (Labour, Nelson and Colne) and other members protested that they had called "No," and intended to vote against the bill.

LATE NEWS

ROOSEVELT NOT SEEKING NOMINATION

CHICAGO, Tuesday.

President Roosevelt says that he is not seeking nomination, and delegates are free to vote for anyone they please.—(Reuter.)

Senator Barkely said: "The President has never had, and has not to-day, a desire to continue in the office of President, or to be nominated by the Convention for that office."

In his speech Senator Barkley said: "The record of the past seven years has been devoted to the care of remoulding our people under the leadership of the world's greatest and most outstanding Democrat, Franklin D. Roosevelt."

The statement brought the 28,000 delegates to their feet, waving the State standards and shouting. Demonstration in the aisles followed, holding up speech for twenty-five minutes.

Meanwhile word passed through the Convention that President Roosevelt would inform delegates that he is not a candidate for re-nomination, but they were free to vote as they pleased.

This report, if true, is regarded as indicating that the President would accept nomination for a third term.—(Reuter.)

NIGHT RAIDS ON BRITAIN

When German 'planes were over North-East England during the night there was heavy anti-aircraft fire and searchlights were very active. A burst of machine-gun fire was heard over one town.

DEFENCE FORCES OF EIRE

In an article on "Defence Forces of Eire," the Dublin Correspondent of *The Times* writes:—All sorts and conditions of men have joined these forces. British ex-officers of high rank are serving directly under the command of former leaders of the Irish Republican Army. Mr. Dan Breen, who was a noted guerrilla fighter not only against the British, but also against the Free State Army during the civil war, has been appointed leader of the Howth (Co. Dublin) Squadron of the Local Defence Force, with several ex-Regular British officers as his section leaders. In the national point of view, this coming together of men who previously would not sit in the same room with one another is, perhaps, the most gratifying feature of the Government's drive to strengthen the country's defences. It is entirely wrong to assume that there is a large pro-German, or even anti-British, element in Eire. The country is genuinely neutral, and the one desire of its people is to keep out of the war. On the other hand, strict neutrality does not prevent a general feeling of popular sympathy with the Allied cause. The Irish people are genuinely democratic in their outlook, and the suggestion that they or any appreciable part of them would welcome a totalitarian *régime* is ridiculous.

Many wild statements have been made in Great Britain about the size and influence of the German Legation in Dublin. Actually, it has not more than half-a-dozen men, with two or three women typists. Its behaviour has been uniformly correct, and the stories of its activities as a vast centre of espionage are without foundation. The personnel of the Italian Legation is even smaller, and although there are a fairly large number of Italian nationals in Eire, most of them have been here for many years, and are admirable citizens. Many of the leading members of the Germany colony went back to Germany when war broke out. Probably not more than one hundred remain in Eire, and the reports of a far-reaching and formidable Fifth Column in this country may be discounted. Most of the I.R.A. leaders are under lock and key, and there is good reason to believe that its strength, as well as its influence, has been diminished appreciably during recent months. Though an unknown quantity, it is not sufficiently strong to interfere with the Government's defence plans; indeed, in the event of invasion members of the I.R.A. might be found fighting in the national ranks.

THREE GERMAN 'PLANES SHOT DOWN

Two Fall in English Channel

TONS OF BOMBS DROPPED ON GERMANY

THREE German bombers were shot down yesterday in Britain by British pilots. Two of the bombers fell in the English Channel and the other was destroyed off the north-east coast of Scotland.

R.A.F. 'planes which raided parts of Germany on Monday night had to fly through storm clouds and sleet, and hours were spent in circling and watching before they were able to locate their objectives. At Hanover they dropped four and a half tons of bombs in half-an-hour.

DEATH FALL FROM CLOUDS

The Air Ministry News Service announced last night in London:—

One Hurricane pilot shot down two Junkers 88 bombers into the English Channel this afternoon.

About the same time other Fighter Command pilots patrolling in their Spitfires off the north-east coast of Scotland destroyed a Heinkel III. bomber.

The Hurricane pilot attacked his first Junkers above the clouds. After two bursts of machine-gun bullets he saw the enemy bomber start on its 9,000 feet death dive, and watched it drop out of the cloud layer into the sea, where it sank at once.

As he climbed again, the British pilot saw another Junkers 88 fly out of the clouds. Again he attacked. The Junkers dived to within 50 feet of the sea and then crashed.

TWO CREWS SAVED

Two German airmen from the second Junkers climbed into a rubber boat. Seeing a tug a short distance away, the Hurricane pilot flew backwards and forwards between it and the rubber boat until the Germans were picked up.

Three Spitfires engaged a Heinkel, and in an attempt to escape, the bomber dived steeply, with the Spitfires in pursuit. The Heinkel's rear gunner fought back fiercely, and a Spitfire was hit by a bullet in one wing.

After the British fighters had fired bursts into the bomber it glided down into the sea. Two of the crew escaped in their rubber boat and were rescued by an R.A.F. launch.

DAMAGE IN SCOTLAND

The following *communiqué* was issued last night by the British Air Ministry and Ministry of Home Security:—

"An enemy bomber this afternoon dropped bombs at several places on the north-east coast of Scotland. Some houses were wrecked, but the only casualties were a few persons injured.

"The bomber was subsequently shot down into the sea, and is one of the three which, as already announced, were shot down this (Tuesday) afternoon."

Two women were injured, and two houses badly damaged, when a raider dropped twenty high explosive bombs. One of the women was Mrs. Wright, who was sitting in a chair in her back kitchen when a bomb struck the house. She was blown through the window against an adjoining wall, and was struck on the head by falling *débris*. Apart from bruises and shock she was not seriously injured.

The other damaged house was occupied by Mrs. G. Wood, who was buried in *débris* when the roof collapsed. She was removed to hospital in a serious condition.

Of the twenty bombs dropped nine fell in a pleasure park, one in a street and the others in gardens and other places, where they did little damage. Most of the bombs were of the "screaming" type.

SEARCH FOR A CONVOY

FLYING BOAT'S TRIP IN DENSE FOG

A Sunderland flying boat of the Coastal Command went out yesterday to find a convoy. The weather, says the British Air Ministry News Service, was the thickest yet experienced this summer. The Sunderland had to fly for hundreds of miles just above the sea because of dense low mist, in which there was practically no visibility.

The Sunderland came on the convoy by observing its mast-head piercing the mist. Having counted the masts and funnels to assure himself that the whole of the convoy was in position, the Sunderland guided it to its destination.

The weather became worse. Several times the convoy scattered, and had to be reformed by the flying boat. At one point the Sunderland captain, flying at less than 100 feet above the sea, saw that, with the strong tide, some of the vessels were in extreme danger of running ashore.

The captain of the aircraft flashed the lamp message, "Turn to port" to the ships. They obeyed immediately, and were directed to safety.

FLIGHT THROUGH THUNDERSTORMS

R.A.F. DESTRUCTION IN GERMANY

Describing the operations carried out on Monday night by aircraft of the Bomber Command, the British Air Ministry News Service states:—

"Adverse weather conditions greatly hampered our crews. To reach their objectives the British raiders had to fly almost continuously through severe thunder storms, heavy rain and sleet. Widespread low cloud made detection of targets most difficult, and several of the raiding crews, after coming as low as they could, remained circling over their target areas for an hour or more until a gap in the clouds enabled them to locate and bomb their objectives.

"Nearly four-and-a-half tons of high explosive bombs, as well as a large number of incendiary bombs, were dropped on an oil storage installation at Hanover in a series of raids which began shortly after midnight and lasted for about half-an-hour.

GREAT FIRE STARTED

"Many hits were scored, and, in addition to the fires started by incendiary bombs, a big fire followed the explosion of one heavy bomb.

"A large blast furnace at Hamborn was left blazing after two dive-bombing attacks.

"In the first attack a direct hit resulted in a violent explosion. A few minutes later the target was again bombed 'from a low level, and this time the bomber's crew saw a great fire break out. An intense red flame, capped by a long plume of dense black smoke, flared up to a height of nearly 200 feet, clearly illuminating the furnace, with its three tall chimneys and clusters of surrounding sheds.

"Another blast furnace was attacked during the night, and, though visibility hampered observation of the results, considerable damage is believed to have been caused.

"The aircraft equipment store at Paderborn, to the east of the Ruhr, was raided for the second night in succession, the bomber's crew arriving over the target area during a severe thunder-storm, which hid the moon and obscured the landmarks.

"Altogether we spent one and a quarter hours cruising around in search of the target," said the pilot of the aircraft.

"When at last we had made quite certain we were near we dropped a parachute flare, and by its light saw twelve large camouflaged buildings, like hangars, in four rows. We made two dive attacks in quick succession."

HEAVY EXPLOSION

"Other aircraft attacked the rail communication centres at Osnabruck, where particularly heavy anti-aircraft fire prevented full observation of the results; and at Hamm, where a hit on the railway sidings was followed by an explosion so violent that the concussion was felt in the aircraft several thousand feet above the target. At Dummer, some twenty miles from Osnabruck, a raider scored two direct hits on the main line in front of a supply train.

"Enemy aerodromes which serve as bases for raids on this country continued to be harassed both on Monday and during Monday night. In the daylight raids medium bombers successfully attacked the aerodromes at Lisieux and Evreux, in Normandy.

FUEL TANKS ALIGHT

"The first of a line of heavy bombs burst near the main hangar at Evreux, the remaining explosions continuing for a hundred yards northwards. At Lisieux a large number of incendiary bombs fell all round a twin-engined enemy aircraft on the ground.

"The night raiders attacked Norderney aerodrome, setting fuel storage tanks and part of the administrative buildings on fire, and in a dive bombing attack on De Kooy aerodrome, in Holland, a large hangar was alight and four other fires started."

FOUR RAIDS ON GIBRALTAR

MADRID, Tuesday.

It was reported from La Linea that Gibraltar was raided and bombed four times to-day.—(Associated Press.)

RIFLES TAKEN FROM SOLDIERS

BELFAST COURT STORY OF HOLD-UP

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Tuesday.

The hold-up and robbery of two soldiers of their rifles in the Whiterock area of Belfast by a party of armed men on June 19 was described in the Belfast Custody Court to-day.

Edward Maguire (28), of Whiterock Gardens, described as a house repairer, appeared in the dock.

Each of the rifles contained five rounds of ammunition.

Maguire was charged with having in his possession or under his control a firearm and ammunition with intent to endanger life.

District Inspector Cullen said that about 10.30 a.m. on June 19 an Army sergeant and twelve soldiers were filling sandbags convenient to Murphy's brickyard. Five civilians came along and worked with them. The accused man was not one of the civilians, and they did not say that any of those civilians had anything to do with the matter. When the soldiers went to resume work after lunch they missed one of their shovels and the sergeant in charge sent two soldiers to make inquiries. They failed to locate the shovel, and on the way back were accosted by ten or twelve men. The soldiers stated that all of the men carried revolvers and that they knocked them down and took their rifles from them.

The accused man was returned for trial to the City Commission on July 23.

ANOTHER BRITISH BUDGET

The Chancellor of the Exchequer will introduce a supplementary Budget next Tuesday, it was announced in the House of Commons yesterday.

Mr. Attlee, Lord Privy Seal, when asked if the Purchase Tax Bill would be dropped, suggested this supplementary Budget should be awaited.

SIRENS AND BELLS PROHIBITED

CHURCH BELLS AND REFEREES' WHISTLES EXCEPTED

An Order has been made by the Minister for Co-ordination of Defensive Measures under the Emergency Powers Order, 1939, prohibiting the use of sirens, hooters, whistles, rattles, bells and other like instruments, except for the purpose of air raid or gas warnings and "all clear" signals.

The Order, by way of exception, permits such instruments to be sounded "in such circumstances that the sound of the instrument is not liable to be mistaken for any such signal as aforesaid." This provision covers church bells used in accordance with custom, referees' whistles at sports, and similar noises of a familiar nature, not likely to be confused with air raid or gas warnings.

Numerous specific exemptions are set out in the Order affecting fire alarms, shipping signals, motor horns, ambulance bells, burglar alarms, boiler tests, etc.

The Order is entitled the Emergency Powers (Control of Sounds) Order, 1940.

GERMANY'S WEAKNESS

Lubricating Oils Short

BRITISH EXPERT'S OPINION

PRESS ASSOCIATION FOREIGN SPECIAL.

ISTANBUL, Tuesday.

GERMANY is facing a serious shortage of lubricating oils necessary for her war machines, especially aircraft. This is the opinion of a highly-placed British oil expert who has arrived here after being expelltd from Rumania with about 50 other British subjects engaged in the petrol refineries.

"Germany may have enough petrol for the time being," he stated, "but lubricating oil is almost certainly the weakest point in all her war supplies. Before the war Germany imported 90 per cent. of her requirements from Texas, Mexico, and elsewhere across the Atlantic. The British Navy has now entirely cut off these supplies.

LITTLE RUSSIAN OIL

"Russia is able to send her only small quantities. Recently Russia sent 12,000 tons, representing, perhaps, three per cent. of Germany's present requirements—and Russian oil is of extremely poor quality, unsuitable for aeroplanes.

"Rumania has not enough lubricating oil for her own requirements, and is, therefore, unable to send Germany any. The fact that Germany is already finding difficulties was indicated," he said, "by examination of captured aeroplanes. The oil in the engines has been found to be in such a poor state that the British Air Force would never dream of using it.

"There seems to me strong ground for believing that the shortage of lubricating oil may soon prove a serious impediment to Germany's war effort, when you remember that a high-speed aeroplane uses up to 30 per cent. of its total benzine consumption."

RUMANIAN SUPPLIES

He added that, although recent events had freed about 50 per cent. of Rumanian petrol in production for delivery, it was actually not being sent to Germany at present owing to transport difficulties. Germany was relying on her synthetic petrol, production of which now represented about 40 per cent. of her total requirements.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

BERLIN, Tuesday.

The German authorities in Poland have entrusted a Special Commission with the control of petrol production and refining in all the Polish oilfields, states the Official German News Agency.

COASTAL ROAD PLAN

LOCAL GOVERNMENT INQUIRY

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

WICKLOW, Tuesday.

To-day Mr. M. Ryan, Engineering Inspector, Local Government Department, held an inquiry here into the application of Wicklow County Council to acquire compulsorily land at Dunbur, Kilpoole and Maghery more for the purpose of constructing a new link coastal road to connect with Brittas Bay county road and on to Arklow. Opposition had been expressed by Mr. John L. Leslie Ellis, Maghery more.

Mr. A. O'Connor (instructed by Mr. J. Brazil, solicitor) for County Council; Mr. Brereton Barry, K.C. (instructed by Messrs. H. and W. Stanley, solicitors) for the objector. Mr. John Maher, Kilpoole, an owner, attended, but his sole objection was to the maintenance of the fence.

In his evidence, Mr. P. T. Healy, secretary, mentioned that the project of this coastal road was first formed in 1848, when the relief works after the famine operated. At that time about 900 yards of a road foundation had been laid at Dunbur, but the work ceased abruptly and the unfinished road remained over since. In 1926 Arklow Urban Council took up the agitation for a coastal road, supported by Wicklow Urban District Council and the demands of residents at the southern end (Sallymount-Ardinary), where there was once a road, but is now without any connection. In 1939-40 and 1940-41 the County Council proposed to go ahead with the scheme, which was supported by the Irish Tourist Association, and the Department had agreed to a grant in aid of £8,250, with rates' contribution spread over two years of £4,115, a total of £12,345.

Mr. J. T. O'Byrne, County Surveyor, gave his reasons for selecting the particular route which lay across Magherymore demesne, and said that the new road would open a dead end to make a direct coastal road between the two towns instead of the present inland communication, and prove an attraction for tourists.

GROUNDS OF OBJECTION

Mr. Barry, voicing the reasons for objecting, said that Mr. Leslie Ellis, who succeeded to the property on the death of his brother, came into possession last May, and had since established a guest house and poultry farm, while he had the lands set, but intended farming on a large scale as soon as practicable. One of the main attractions of the guest house for visitors would be the private bathing beach on the lands, but the new road would cut across the sheltered roadway down to the beach, come behind the residence and penetrate several of their fields, and in their opinion would thereby destroy the amenities and interfere very grievously with the owner's means of livelihood. He hoped to show that the objection was not captious or obstinate attitude, but would involve a hardship that would make the continuation of the house and lands impossible, and that the Council's action could only be justified by the most urgent necessity, which had not been substantiated by the Council. The holding would be destroyed as an economic proposition, for this was not an ordinary interference with estate or demesne lands, but constituted a very unusual interference that could only be justified by exceptional necessity.

Evidence was given by Mr. Ellis and his steward (John Webster) in support of counsel's statements.

EARTH TREMOR IN CENTRAL SCOTLAND

An earth tremor which shook parts of Central Scotland about 5.35 p.m. yesterday shook a number of buildings, knocked crockery from shelves, threw a man from his chair, and caused women in the top flat of a high building to run out in alarm.

No serious damage has, however, been reported. The tremor lasted for some seconds.

Reports from the Denny and Falkirk districts indicate that the tremor was felt most violently there.

EXPORT OF BOG ORE FROM THE NORTH

Arrangements have now been made for the shipment from Northern Ireland of bog ore, a commodity required in connection with the purifying of gas in the process of manufacture. Hitherto gasworks in Britain received the bulk of their supplies from Holland, but now another source has had to be found.

JAPAN'S NEW CABINET

Expected To Be Pro-Axis

TREATY PORTS ATTACKED

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

TOKYO, Tuesday.

ADMIRAL YONAI, Premier of Japan, to-day handed in the resignations of his entire Cabinet to the Emperor, apparently under Army pressure, for stronger enforcement of Japan's "new order in East Asia" policy.

Most Japanese newspapers expect that ex-Premier Konoye will be asked to form a new Cabinet. He and General Hata, the War Minister, whose resignation precipitated that of the entire Cabinet, were to-night reported to be considering the constitution of the new Administration.

Both men are known to be in favour of a Government which would take a stronger stand against Western Powers, including Britain and the U.S.

BRITAIN CRITICISED

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

CHUNGKING, Tuesday.

Chinese observers here forecast that the next three months will be a critical period in the war between China and Japan. They interpret Admiral Yonai's fall as a sign of the ascendancy of the Army elements in the Government and of closer co-operation between Japan and the Axis Powers. Indignation over alleged British concessions on the Burma road issue continues. All the Chinese newspapers are unanimous to-day in criticising Britain's appeasement policy. It is believed here that the Japanese will probably intensify their military operations in an attempt to force a quick decision in China.

The Chinese Ambassador has made representations to the British Government regarding the proposal that restrictions should be imposed for three months on the movement of supplies along the Burma road to the Chungking Government (writes the Press Association Diplomatic Correspondent).

PEACE PLANS

As a result of negotiations in Tokio between the British Ambassador and the Japanese Foreign Office, it is proposed that during the three months efforts should be made to reach agreement on wider issues in the Far East.

The Chinese Ambassador saw the British Foreign Secretary, Lord Halifax, last night, and expressed anxiety at the possible consequences of attempting to embark on general peace negotiations. He made it clear that the Chinese regard any interference with the passage of vital supplies along the Burma road as not being in accordance with British undertakings as a member of the League of Nations.

U.S. OPPOSES BURMA ROAD CLOSING

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

WASHINGTON, Tuesday.

The State Department announced that the United States opposes the closing of the Burma Road. The following statement was issued by Mr. Cordell Hull:—"The Secretary of State, in reply to inquiries for comment in regard to reports that at the instance of the Japanese Government the British Government would prohibit temporarily the movement of certain commodities through Burma into China across what is known as the Burma route, said that his Government has a legitimate interest in the keeping open of arteries of commerce in every part of the world, and considers that action such as this, if taken, and such as was taken recently in relation to the Indo-China Railway, would constitute unwarranted interpositions of obstacles to world trade."

TREATY PORTS ATTACKED

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

TOKYO, Tuesday.

While Cabinet negotiations were taking place a Japanese force, consisting of warships, marines and aircraft, launched operations in the Hangchow Bay area, according to a Japanese naval *communiqué*. Several islands were occupied. This is one of the zones affected by Monday's Japanese proclamation announcing the closing of all loopholes in the coast south of Shanghai through which supplies might pass to China. The area concerned included the Treaty port of Ningpo, against which Japan has not acted before.

Japanese warplanes heavily bombed the City of Chungking and its western suburbs at noon to-day.

OBITUARY

MR. G. E. STRAHAN, F.R.C.S.I.

The death of Mr. George Edward Strahan, F.R.C.S.I., who was awarded the D.S.C. for the part he played as surgeon on a "Q" ship during the last war, took place at Bulawayo, Rhodesia, on Monday. Surgeon Strahan was a son of Mr. George S. Strahan, of Knapton road, Dun Laoghaire. He was educated at St. Andrew's College, Dublin, from which he went to the Royal College of Surgeons, where he won the Stoney Gold Medal. He was eighteen years of age when, during the last war, he volunteered for service in the Royal Navy as surgeon probationer. Having served in a destroyer for five or six months he volunteered, and was accepted, as surgeon on the s.s. Stock Force, the 360 tons "Q," or decoy, ship which was responsible for the destruction of a German submarine. The Stock Force, under the command of Lieutenant Harold Auten, R.N.R., was attacked by the submarine at 5 p.m. on July 30, 1918. The torpedo fired by the U-boat crashed into the vessel, sending planks and *débris* of all descriptions into the air, and wounding many members of the crew. The "panic" party immediately rushed to the boats as the officers and men, who stayed on board, took their positions at the guns. The wounded were removed to the lower deck, and here Surgeon Probationer Strahan attended to them while up to the waist in water. The "panic" party decoyed the submarine to the surface and within good reach of the "Q" ship's guns, and, as she approached the torpedoed boat, the Stock Force's guns destroyed her with shells. After the engagement the "Q" ship sank, the crew and wounded being rescued by torpedo boats. In September of the same year Surgeon Probationer Strahan was awarded the D.S.C., the commander of the boat having been given the V.C. on the same occasion.

After the war Surgeon Strahan went to Bulawayo, in Rhodesia, and, as partner of Dr. White, another Dublin man, he practised there until his death, which occurred suddenly. He leaves a wife and one child. One of his brothers is in the Colonial Service in Malaya, and another is attached to the Egyptian State Railways at Cairo. His father, Mr. G. S. Strahan, was connected with the well-known firm of R. Strahan and Co., St. Stephen's Green, Dublin.

U.S. MINISTER REACHES AUSTRALIA

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

SYDNEY, Tuesday.

Mr. Clarence E. Gauss newly appointed United States Minister to Australia, arrived at Canberra to-night, and will present his letters of credence to Lord Gowrie, the Governor-General, to-morrow.

Mr. J. McEwen, Commonwealth Minister for External Affairs, said:—"Australia, in establishing direct diplomatic contacts with a foreign country, has become a full partner in the British Commonwealth."

FIRST AID SERVICES

PLANS FOR CITY OF DUBLIN

PUBLIC CO-OPERATION URGED

SPEAKING on First Aid and Casualty Service from Radio Eireann last night, Mr. J. P. MacNamara, Assistant Commissioner of the St. John Ambulance Brigade, referred to the fine response to the call for volunteers made last September, with the result that in the various areas of Dublin there will be available fully-qualified ambulance *personnel*.

Provision has been made to have first aid service available at the scene of any explosion or disaster that may occur. From the first aid posts would operate doctors, nurses, ambulances, cars, and ambulance men and women to render first aid, and have injured and wounded conveyed to hospital. Skilled attention would thus be available in the shortest time. A depôt would be available to give information to relatives and friends. In the selection of the posts attention had been paid to the necessity of seeing that no area or part of an area would be cut off from ambulance service

MOBILE UNITS

Mobile units have been established—two on the North side and two on the South side of the River Liffey. These units, which are converted motor 'buses, are in reality mobile stations, carrying all necessary equipment and dressings, doctors, nurses and ambulance *personnel*. The service of any area can be augmented, or, should damage be sustained in even the most unlikely places, skilled help will be available in the shortest possible time.

In emergency, only by the co-ordination of all services can efficiency be attained, and the co-operation of the public will make this co-ordination possible. The fullest co-operation of the public is vital; it will facilitate the ambulance worker in his task and ensure that, with as little delay as possible, the wounded and injured will be provided with skilled attention and rapid transport to hospital or first aid post.

DANGER OF PANIC

Apart from the deadly and destructive effects of air attack, there is another important factor to be considered—panic which is capable of spreading and not only destroying the *morale* of the civil population, but of seriously interrupting and even paralysing essential services. To lessen the possibility of panic, a knowledge of the risks and how to avoid them will be of the very greatest assistance. There should be in every household at least one member who understands, and can apply, the principles of first aid.

The most important things—things that may make all the difference between life and death—are few and easily learned, and the little trouble and short time required to acquire this knowledge will be amply repaid by the great sense of security such knowledge will bring

Mr. MacNamara recommended that everyone should study the booklet issued by the Department of Defence, entitled "The Protection of Your Home against Air Raids." Everyone should carry about with him some identification mark—a letter or card, with name, address and religion. In the case of children this should be sewn in the clothing.

IRISH WEDDINGS

MR. P. E. KILROY AND MISS J. LINEHAN

The wedding took place at St. Peter and Paul's Church, Cork, yesterday of Mr. Peter E. Kilroy, eldest son of Mrs. Alice Kilroy and the late Peter Kilroy, of Arcadia, Athlone, and Miss Joan Linehan, elder daughter of Mrs. Anne Linehan and the late James Linehan, Glanworth, Cork. The ceremony was performed by the Very Rev. M. O'Sullivan, assisted by the Very Rev. T. Canon Tobin, the Very Rev. D. O'Flynn, and the Rev. J. A. Clarke, O.F.M.

The bridesmaid was Miss Kathleen Linehan. Mr. Vincent Kilroy acted as best man.

MR. D. O'FLYNN AND MISS B. NEARY

The marriage took place yesterday at the Church of the Most Holy Redeemer, Bray, with Nuptial Mass and Papal Blessing, of Mr. Dermot O'Flynn, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. O'Flynn, "St. Clare's," Meath road, Bray, and Miss Betty Neary, elder daughter of the late Mr. Daniel Neary and Mrs. K. Neary, "Glenholme," Galtrim road, Bray. The Rev. Father J. Dunne officiated at the ceremony. Miss Kathleen Neary was bridesmaid, and Mr. J. O'Flynn was groomsman.

A reception was afterwards given by Mrs. K. Neary at the Shanganagh Castle Hotel, after which Mr. and Mrs. O'Flynn left for a motor tour of the South of Ireland.

MR. J. BRENNAN AND MISS E. ARNOLD

The wedding took place on Monday at SS. Peter and Paul Church of Miss Eileen Arnold, daughter of Mr. and the late Mrs. J. Arnold, of Baldoyle, to Mr. J. Brennan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Brennan, of Phibsborough. The Rev. J. Dillon, C.C., officiated. The bride was given away by her cousin, Mr. Walsh. The best man was Mr. H. Brennan, brother of the bridegroom.

The bride was dressed in a white satin gown, cut on classical lines. Her long veil was caught back by a halo of white flowers, and she wore long lace gloves. The bridesmaids, Miss Julia Arnold and Miss Mary Arnold, wore pale blue georgette frocks trimmed with clover georgette sashes, and caps of blue and clover flowers.

After the reception Mr. and Mrs. Brennan left for Galway, the bride wearing a chic black redingote over a crimson floral frock.

MR. R. H. WARDELL AND MISS M. SWAIN

The first wedding between two members of the Society of Friends in Cork for 34 years took place yesterday at the Meeting House, Summerhill, South. The parties were Mr. Robert H. Wardell, chartered accountant, Dublin, son of Mr. and Mrs. John N. Wardell, Celbridge, Co. Kildare, and Miss Marjory Swain, eldest daughter of Professor and Mrs. Swain, Slemish, Glasheen road, Cork.

IRISH NEWS IN BRIEF

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant.—Mr. Charles Hanrahan has been appointed temporary Sub-Lieutenant (Marine Rank) in the Defence Forces.

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Donegal Health Board Chairman.—Donegal Board of Health re-elected Mr. E. Gallen Chairman for the sixteenth time, and Major J. S. Myles, M.C., T.D., Vice-Chairman.

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County Wexford Board of Health.—County Wexford Board of Health re-elected unanimously Miss N. O'Ryan as Chairman, and Alderman R. Corish, T.D., Mayor, as Vice-Chairman.

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Sir F. Coates.—Sir Frederick Coates, Bart., son of the late Sir William Coates, Bart., former Lord Mayor of Belfast, still is suffering from severe concussion as a result of his recent motor accident.

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Re-Elected.—At a meeting of the Clare Mental Hospital Committee Mr. Sean Hayes, Co.C. (F.F.), was unanimously re-elected Chairman, and Mr. D. Neylon, Co.C. (F.F.), Vice-Chairman.

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Presentation.—As a mark of their appreciation of his services as stationmaster at Thurles a committee representative of the townspeople presented a wallet of notes to Mr. J. Coakley on his retirement.

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Ulster Bank Appointments.—Mr. Andrew Esler, controller of branches, has been appointed assistant secretary. Mr. William Ellis inspector of branches, has been appointed head office interim manager.

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Ballina's Increased Rate.—At a meeting of the Ballina Urban Council yesterday, a rate of 25s. 4d. in the £ was adopted, an increase of 2s. in the £ on last year's rate. The rise is due to an increased County Council demand of £800 and remission of rates of £996.

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Recruiting in Ballina.—At the meeting of the Ballina Urban Council, Mr. John Clarke said that the response in Ballina to the appeal of the Government for volunteers to the different services of the Army was satisfactory. Senator Ruane presided. Mr. Barry said that it was decided to hold a public meeting in Ballina to put the position before the people.

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Teacher Retires.—Mr. J. McGill, principal teacher, Birr Model School, has retired on superannuation. He came to Birr from Belfast in 1905. He was a prominent member of Birr Golf Club, and president of Birr Wilmer Tennis Club. He also was a member of Birr Vocational Education Committee. His many friends much regret his departure for Belfast.

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Costly Whiskey.—At Carrick-on-Suir District Court yesterday, Michael Daly, Kickham street, Carrick-on-Suir, was fined £50 (recommended to be reduced to £12 10s.) for having sold half a glass of whiskey without having a publican's licence, to Mr. Burke, Excise officer, Clonmel. The licence on premises lapsed last year. Defendant continued to carry on the grocery business on the premises.

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Outings for Children.—The Organising Committee of the Dublin Students' "Kids-to-Seaside" Fund has a sum of £372 11s. 5d. in hand after paying all expenses in connection with the recent flag day for providing children's outings to the seaside. The Mount Street Club and Inchicore Unemployed Men's Association will each sponsor one outing. Others will be arranged by the committee, including those for children from "the best-kept Corporation flats."

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First Aid Lectures.—Four hundred people are attending lectures in first-aid every night in the Technical Institute, Wexford, organised under the auspices of the Local Security Force. The lectures are being given by Dr. M. K. O'Brien, surgeon, County Hospital; Dr. T. E. Pierse and Dr. P. J. Sinnott, medical officers, Wexford Dispensaries; Dr. T. R. McCabe, M.O., Crossabeg; Dr. Hadden, Wygram; Dr. S. A. Furlong, Dr. J. A. Pierse, and valuable assistance is being given by the Knights of Malta ambulance unit and by local trained nurses.

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After Forty Years.—Mr. Thomas Duggan, the storekeeper at the Clare Mental Hospital, has worked for over forty years in the institution and never took a holiday. Recently he fell ill, and the Committee of Management appointed his son as substitute. The Local Government Department refused to sanction the employment of the substitute, and stated that the work should be done by the clerical officers already in the employment of the Committee. This was reported to the Committee, and Mr. J. Brady, Co.C., said that the attitude of the Department was more than difficult to understand. The Resident Medical Superintendent was requested to press for sanction.

CHURCH SERVICES

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.—Week-Day Choral Services are temporarily suspended during repairs.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.—Matins at 10.45 o'clock. Venite, 250. Psalm, 98 (353). Jubilate, 249. Litany. Evensong at 3 o'clock. Psalm, 89, 1-19 (258). Magnificat, John Goss (1800-1880) in A. Anthem, "Teach me, O Lord," Thomas Attwood (1767-1838).

THE MAGDALEN CHURCH, Lower Leeson street (the Church's Ministry of Healing).—Holy Communion at 8 a.m. United Prayer re World Situation, 1.10 to 1.30 o'clock. Healing Service, with Laying-on of Hands and address, at 3 o'clock.

CHRIST CHURCH, Leeson Park.—Intercession Service at 9.45 a.m. Holy Communion at 11.30.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, Rathmines.—Missionary Litany and address at 11.15 a.m. Mr. E. Tobias. Mid-Week Service of Intercession, 7.30 to 7.50 p.m.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, Dublin. Lower Baggot street (a branch church of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.). Services—Sunday, 11 30 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Sunday School 11.30 a.m. Wednesday, Testimony Meeting, 8 p.m. Christian Science Reading Room (same address) open daily from 12 noon.

BALBRIGGAN ROAD COLLISION

INQUESTS ON SIX VICTIMS

INSTANTANEOUS DEATH IN MOST CASES

VERDICTS in accordance with the medical evidence that death in each case was due to injuries—were returned by a jury at an inquest held by Dr. J. P. Brennan, at Balbriggan Courthouse, on four of the victims of the collision between a Great Northern Railway 'bus and a private car, in the early hours of Monday morning.

The inquests were held together on the bodies of:—

Thomas Mohan (20), King's Inns street, Dublin, a book-keeper in the Hammond lane Foundry;

John G. Warren (23), Temple Gardens, Ratlmines, only son of Mr. John Warren, President of the Irish Rugby Football Union, and a director of the *Evening Mail*, and of Messrs. Drought, printers;

Miss Vera Doggett (21), 28 Smithfield, Dublin, a shorthand typist; and

Miss Nora O'Donohue (17), of 60 Clarence Mangan road, S.C.R., Dublin.

Evidence was given which showed that each of the deceased persons was in good health, and that none of them had ever partaken of intoxicants.

MEDICAL EVIDENCE

Dr. P. McGowan, Balbriggan, said that Vera Doggett's death, which was instantaneous, was due to shock and hæmmorhage, following laceration of the brain, fracture of the skull, and other injuries. In the case of Thomas Mohan, death, in his opinion, was due to rupture of the liver, compound fracture of the jaw, and other injuries.

In reply to Mr. Mohan, father of the deceased man, Dr McGowan said that death was instantaneous.

Dr. May O'Doherty testified that Nora O'Donohue died from shock and hæmmorhage, following a fracture at the base of the skull and rupture of the liver.

John Warren's death was due, she said, to shock and hæmmorhage, following fracture of the skull, which was crushed, laceration of the brain, and other injuries.

MOTOR CAR WRECKED

Sergeant P. J. Walsh, Balbriggan, told how he arrived about twenty minutes after the accident and found Mr. Mohan in the driving seat, with Mr. Warren beside him. Beside the car lying on the road were two girls, one of whom was dead. The other, Miss O'Donohue, died some minutes later.

The front portion of the 'bus was damaged and the car was wrecked. There were patches of fog at the time.

THE UNKNOWN NURSE

Dr. R. May, Swords, said that he would like to bring to the notice of the Coroner and jury the wonderful work of a nurse, who was at the scene of the accident before anyone else.

He did not know her name, but she had certainly done her work in a heroic manner.

Dr. Warren, an uncle of John Warren, thanked the Guards for their kindness and courtesy, and explained that the young man's father was very ill and was unable to attend the inquest.

Mr. P. Daly, foreman of the jury; Mr. Sean Ryan, solicitor, representing the G.N.R.; Captain H. J. Murphy, on behalf of the Army, and Superintendent Higgins, on behalf of the Guards, expressed sympathy with the next-of-kin. Mr. J. J. O'Connor, solicitor, appearing for next-of-kin of Miss Doggett; Mr. T. D. McLoughlin, for Mr. J. Warren, and Mr. Thomas Mohan expressed thanks.

TWO OTHER VICTIMS

An inquest on two other victims of the accident, Michael Branagan (20), 139 Rathgar road, Dublin, son of Mr. M. Branagan, proprietor of the Powell Press, Parliament street, Dublin, and John Maher (22), 36 South Circular road, Dublin, a number-taker employed by Messrs. A. Guinness, which was held at Jervis street Hospital by Dr. D. A. MacErlean, City Coroner, was adjourned.

Dr. W. Lyster, house surgeon, said that in both cases death was due to shock, following skull injuries. Maher died an hour after admission to hospital. Branagan was dead.

Mr. Sean Nolan (Messrs. J. J. O'Connor and Co., solicitors), who represented the G.N.R. Company, and the foreman of the jury, expressed sympathy with the relatives.

Mr. Marcus A. Lynch, solicitor, appeared for Mr. M. Branagan.

ROYAL SOCIETY OF ANTIQUARIES

WELCOME TO KILKENNY

It gave them great pleasure to come to the city which gave birth to their great Society, said Professor R. A. S. Macalister, Litt.D., M.R.I.A., past President, when he spoke at the quarterly (summer) meeting of the Royal Society of Antiquarians of Ireland in the City Hall, Kilkenny.

The meeting marked the opening of the Society's annual week, for which Kilkenny City was this year selected as centre, and from which the members have arranged to make excursions each day to places of archæological interest in Leinster.

In the absence of the Mayor (Ald. Ray Crotty), the members of the Society were welcomed to Kilkenny by Ald. John Magennis, who presided at the meeting.

Referring to Kilkenny as the home of the Society, Professor Macalister said that in 1849 some enthusiastic archæologists in the City of Kilkenny founded the Kilkenny Archæological Society, and out of that had grown the great corporation which now extended over the whole country. So rapidly did it grow that shortly after its foundation it had to be called the Kilkenny and South-East of Ireland Society. As it spread all over Ireland the centre of gravity naturally shifted to Dublin They all, however, entertained a very loyal feeling for the city which gave it birth.

OGHAM

Referring to a work on ancient monuments and inscriptions which he is at present preparing, and which he hopes to have published shortly, Professor Macalister said that his investigations had convinced him that Ogham, which appears in written form only in Ireland, was invented in Northern Italy from an early Greek alphabet. It was the first finger language invented, and was probably used as a secret method of communication between Druids.

Arranged around the Assembly Room of the City Hall was a big number of sketches of ancient monuments, with which his work would be illustrated. He drew attention to one which, he said, showed that the oldest existing sentence in the Irish language was controversial.

On the recommendation the following were elected:—Fellow—The Rev. Jas. Fitzgibbon, C.C., 5 Eblana avenue, Dun Laoghaire; members—Mr. Frank R. A. McCormick, Donnybrook, Dublin, and Mr. E. J. Bennett, 5 Woodland avenue, Belfast.

FOOD PARCELS FOR GREAT BRITAIN

Under recent British import licensing regulations special Customs control is imposed on the importation by post into Great Britain of parcels containing butter, meat, bacon, etc. The addressees of parcels containing such commodities are now required to obtain licences for importation from the British Ministry of Food. Senders of such parcels from this country should, therefore, when posting, show on the cover the number of the relative import licence; otherwise acceptance by the Post Office can only be at "sender's risk."

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DUBLIN A.R.P. WARDENS

Over 200 trained A.R.P. Wardens are now available in Dublin City Area No. 2, and over 100 more will complete their courses at Clauda Hall, Drumcondra, this week. Classes in progress at St. Patrick's Schools, Drumcondra, will yield about another 200.

Volunteer motor drivers (and their vehicles) are needed in this district. Mr. G. P. Stokes, 156 Gracepark road, Drumcondra, is the Area warden.

TAKING A CENSUS

Arrangements have now been made for taking the Census in No. 11 Area, which comprises all Clontarf, Killester, Dollymount and Raheny. For this purpose Wardens, with armlets and badges, will call at each house in the area within the next few days. This precautionary measure is being undertaken with a view to evacuation of children and invalids should the necessity arise.

FARMERS SHOULD SPRAY POTATOES

Recent weather conditions favour the spread of blight, and any farmer who has not yet sprayed his potato crop should do so at once. Where early spraying has been carried out no time should be lost in applying a second dressing. The potato crop is bound to be exceptionally valuable this year, and the time and money spent on spraying should bring a good return.

THE ATTACK ON FRENCH FLEET

ANOTHER STATEMENT BY LEGATION IN DUBLIN

The French Legation in Dublin issued the following statement last night:—

"Here is the gist of the explanations referred to in a previous *communiqué*, which might have been given by the French to the British Government:

"The French Government was determined not to sign the Armistice if the question of the Fleet was not settled in such a way as to obviate all possibility of the French warships ever being used by Germany and Italy. In fact, not one Article of the Armistice stipulated the handing over of the French Fleet to these two countries. The ownership of the ships was left to France

"Moreover, the two Armistice conventions committed the German and Italian Governments to a solemn pledge not to attempt to utilise the French ships against Great Britain. One part of the French Fleet was to be kept armed to ensure the security of the French colonies, whilst the remainder, with the exception of those units required for guarding the French coast and mine-sweeping in French territorial waters, was to be disarmed in French military ports. No French port in the Mediterranean nor in Northern Africa or distant colonies was to be occupied by German or Italian forces. The task of the German and Italian Naval Commissions was to be limited to the control of disarmament; and the very nature of that operation rendered these ships unfit for war service without a long and extensive overhaul. Finally, the ships were to be under the guard of crews composed of French sailors commanded by French naval officers, who would be given all instructions as to the course to be adopted if the slightest attempt were made to violate the pledges given.

"These precautions, in the mind of the French Government, ensured the absence of any danger of the French Fleet being used by Germany or Italy in the war against England. It is a well-known fact that the British Government considered that no precautions could avail in any way, and decided to take action at Oran and Dakar.

"In issuing this and the previous *communiqué* the French Legation has, and had, no intention either to mislead or to cause mischief. It merely wished to make known the French Government's point of view in the matter, refraining from any comment and leaving it to history to appreciate the truth.

"Meanwhile, the Legation is pleased to note, from the *communiqué* issued by the British Admiralty, that assurances were again given on the 12th July that no further attacks on French ships were contemplated These assurances could not have been taken into account in the previous *communiqué*, the latter being based on information conveyed by telegrams 'unavoidably' delayed, the most recent being dated July 10th."

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GREAT FILLIES OF PAST DECADES

Successes Against Colts in the Classic Races

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, Tuesday Night.

THE watchword among breeders at the moment—at least among those who can afford the luxury—is: "Stick to the fillies." If this humble correspondent had at the present moment a beautifully-bred yearling filly or one who moved in the paddock like a princess among the others, he would not part with her for all the tea in China or the rationed leaf of Great Britain.

The reason for this may sound an odd one, but it is, nevertheless, logically sound, and can be verified. It is that for seventy years, with one or two exceptions, the fillies foaled in the last year of each decade have been far above the average and have been some of the best of any time, judged by their performances against the colts in the classic races.

We will begin with the year 1879, which produced a crop of fifty foals who between them won all the five classic races of 1882. Not only did they do so, but three fillies were placed first, second and third in the St. Leger, a thing that had never happened before, and has never happened since.

An Astonishing Record

Shotover began this astonishing record by winning the 2,000 Guineas, and then losing the 1,000 Guineas to St. Marguerite. In the Derby she slammed the colts as easily as she had done in the 2,000. She did not run for the Oaks, won by Geheimness. Then came the famous St. Leger, for which Geheimness started favourite from Shotover, and both were beaten by the 40 to 1 chance, Lord Falmouth's filly, Dutch Oven, ridden by Archer.

That year, 1882, was the most wonderful year for fillies of all ages in the whole history of the Turf. Corrie Roy, a three-year-old, won the Cesarewitch with 8st. 7lb., and Hackness, a four-year-old, the Cambridgeshire. A brilliant two-year-old, Hauteur, beat the colts in the Champagne Stakes at Doncaster, and, was not that the season in which Mr. Linde sent his four-year-old filly, Whisper Low, to win the Paris Steeplechase?

There was another three-year-old filly in 1882. Kermesse, who may have been as good as the best, but could not be produced until the autumn, when she won the Select Stakes from Shotover.

La Fleche's Year

In 1889 there was foaled La Fleche, one of the immortal mares of the Turf. How she came to be beaten in the Derby by Sir Hugo, a 40 to 1 chance, is a question that would keep the Sphinx awake; but she played with him in the St. Leger, as she did with other good colts of the season. She finished up the season by winning the Cambridgeshire easily with 8st. 10lb.

In the meantime she had added the 1,000 Guineas and Oaks to her bag, making over £28,000 in stakes in all. As a four-year-old she won the Liverpool Cup with 9st. 6lb., and as a five-year-old the Ascot Gold Cup and the Champion Stakes.

Sceptre Arrives

Ten years later there came another filly as great, or even greater, Sceptre, who won four of the five Classic races in a year—1902—when Ard Patrick was a three-year-old and the colts were very good. So much has been written in this correspondence about Sceptre that there is no need to enlarge further on her exploits.

Ten years more on there came Tagalie, who won the Derby of 1912, beating Tracery by six lengths. In 1922 the Classic fillies may not have been quite as good as the colts, though there might not have been a great deal to choose between Pogrom, who took the Oaks, and the Derby winner, Captain Cuttle.

Golden Corn and Lady Juror

However, there was in that year Golden Corn, also foaled in 1919, who was the best two-year-old of her year, though she failed to stay in her second season. In 1922 the brilliant filly, Lady Juror, winner of the Jockey Club Stakes, was a three-year-old. Cos, who did not stay at three, was a smashing filly at two.

I am afraid the season of 1932 does not show such a high incidence of good winners from the 1929 crop of fillies. The best of them was possibly the Oaks and Coronation Stakes winner, Udaipur. We should, under my theory, be due for a return with the fillies foaled in 1939.

GALTEE MORE.

JACKBOOK'S SUCCESS

Cute John Gains Narrow Victory at Killarney

FOR the opening of the annual two-day meeting at Killarney yesterday there was a well-filled stand and out on the course a large and enthusiastic crowd.

Vanrook was the only one of the declared runners for the Innisfallen Plate that was missing from the field. In his absence, Homeland was made favourite, and, leading throughout, Mr. H. Quinn's horse secured a runaway victory. Mr. John Kirwan, the Gowran trainer, thus happily followed up the series of successes achieved at the recent Tramore meeting. Mylep fell at the second fence and was remounted, but was ultimately cased up.

The Kerry Plate, confined to amateur riders, proved the most interesting race of the day. After Twelve had made most of the earlier running, he dropped back beater Puck Fair and Cute John then engaged in a dour tussle before being joined by Starflyer, who made up a lot of ground in the straight, only to be beaten by the shortest of short-heads by Cute John, ridden by his owner, Mr. G. V. Malcomson. Royal Down was fourth, and Derk fifth.

There was a field of eight runners for the Windsor Lad Cup, and backers made no mistake when promoting Jackbook to favouritism. Always going well in the race, Mr. C. Balding's horse outjumped all his rivals and won in handsome style.

Kirimetiya, one of the runners, had to be pulled up owing to a broken saddle, and was sent out again for the succeeding race, the Lough Lein Plate, for which there were thirteen runners. Once again backers were on the mark, the favourite, Nursery Seedling, getting the better of a good finish with Hallowment to win by a length and a half.

The winner was ridden by Mr. P. Sleator, who trained Jackbook, the winner of the principal race, and also saddled the winner of the Dunloe Hurdle Race, Mr. P. Morrow's Sarawaki, ridden by T. Hyde.

Peter Wolfe, the property of Mr. A. P. Harris, won the Totalisator Plate in easy style ridden by R. McCarthy, whose first mount it was since having a bad fall when riding at Punchestown.

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Colonel The McGillycuddy's PALLAS PANTHER, 5, 10-9 ..... D. Moore 3
Also ran:—Mylep, 10-0 (M. Farrissey). (Winner trained by J. Kirwan.)
Betting—11 to 10 agst. HOMELAND, 3 to 1 Hidden Page, 5 to 1 others. Tote (2/-)—Win, 4/-; forecast money refunded.
Won by 6l. 20l.

3.35—**KERRY PLATE** of 45 sovs. Second 3 sovs. A handicap flat race. For three years old and upwards. 1¼ m.
Mr. G. V. Malcomson's br. g. CUTE JOHN, by Prester John—Wary, 5, 11-3 ..... Owner 1
Mr. H. J. Delmege's STARFLYER a. 11-11 ..... Owner 2
Mr. T. Morrow's PUCK FAIR, 4, 10-13 ..... Mr. P. Sleator 3
Also ran:—Derk, 11-1 (Mr. A. P. Harris); Twelve, 10-5 (Mr. H. Harty); Royal Down, 10-5 (Mr. Lenehan); Cottage Lady, 10-0 (Mr. O'Shaughnessy). (Winner trained by W. Tyndall.)
Betting—2 to 1 agst. Puck Fair, 3 to 1 Starflyer, 4 to 1 CUTE JOHN, 6 to 1 each Twelve and Royal Down, 10 to 1 others. Tote (2/-)—Win, 11/-; places, 6/6, 6/6.
Won by a short head; 2l.

4.5—**WINDSOR LAD CUP**, value 100 sovs. (presented by the late Dan Sullivan, Esq.), with 50 sovs. added. Second 3 sovs., third 2 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. 3 m.
Mr. C. Balding's gr. g. JACKBOOK, by Jackdaw of Rheims—Desmint's Book, a. 10-5. T. Hyde 1
Mr. W. J. Byrne's COINCIDE, a. 9-7. P. Moylan 2
Capt. C. B. Harty's KNIGHT OF VENOSAS, a. 12-0 ..... Mr. H. Harty 3
Also ran—Pure Irish, 11-9 (car. 11-11) (Mr. C. Mitchell); St. Mullins, 10-6 (E. Kennedy); Kirimetiya, 10-3 (W. O'Grady); Hometown, 10-0 (M. Farrissey); Thurles Hero, 9-12 (car. 10-4) (Mr. Harty). (Winner trained by P. Sleator, jun.)
Betting—6 to 4 agst. JACKBOOK, 3 to 1 Knight of Venosas, 4 to 1 Kirimetiya, 6 to 1 Coincide, 10 to 1 others. Tote (2/-)—Win, 5/6; places, 2/6, 2/6, 2/6.
Won by 6l.; 15l. Thurles Hero was fourth.
St. Mullins fell.

4.35—**LOUGH LEIN PLATE** of 45 sovs. Second 3 sovs. A flat race. For Irish-trained horses, three years old and upwards, that are maidens. 2 m.
Mr. J. P. Griffin's br. g. NURSERY SEEDLING, by Telepathy or Straid—Barberetta, 3, 10-9 ..... Mr. P. Sleator 1
Mr. D. P. O'Brien's HALLOWMENT, 6, 11-4 ..... Mr. L. Michael 2
Mr. E. Timmins's LAND OF PEACE, 5, 11-4 ..... Mr. M. Hickey 3
Also ran—Jungle Lass, 11-4 (Mr. T. M. Banahan); Kirimetiya, 12-0 (D. Moore); Lavenham, 11-9 (Mr. de Brounhead); First of April, 12-0 (P. O'Hara); Another Consul, 11-9 (Mr. Lenihan); Time Please, 11-4 (Mr. H. Harty); Bonnie Anna, 11-9 (Mr. W. Lombard); Never No More, 12-0 (Mr. W. Willis); Clare Dust, 11-4 (Mr. T. Bennet); Captain Starlight, 10-4 (Mr. Fitzsimons). (Winner trained by J. C. Delmege.)
Betting—2 to 1 agst. NURSERY SEEDLING, 4 to 1 Bonnie Anna, 5 to 1 each Kirimetiya and Captain Starlight, 8 to 1 Another Consul, 10 to 1 any other. Tote (2/-)—Win: 4/-. Places: 3/-, 3½/6, 14/6.
Won by 1½l.; 4l. Lavenham was fourth.

5.10—**DUNLOE PLATE** of 45 sovs. Second 3 sovs. A handicap hurdle race for Irish-trained horses 2 m.
Mr. T. Morrow's b. g. SARAWAKI, by Thorburn—Fershaw, 5, 10-11 ..... T. Hyde 1
Mr. J. J. Kelly's TOIROSE, a. 9-10 ..... J. P. Maguire 2
Mr. Thomas Field's BRIGHT EARL, 5, 12-0 ..... W. O'Grady 3
Also ran—Kilfeakle, 11-0 (M. Regan), Magic Loch, 10-10 (D. Moore); Right Green 10-8 (T. Molony); Another Dream, 10-6 (R. Gough); Lomond's Pride, 9-12 (car. 9-13) (Mr. J. O'Shaughnessy). (Winner trained by P. Sleator, jun.)
Betting—6 to 4 agst. Bright Earl, 4 to 1 each SARAWAKI and Toirose, 6 to 1 Kilfeakle, 10 to 1 any other. Tote (2/-)—Win: 21/6. Places: 3/-, 2/6, 2/6.
Won by 1½l.; 2l.

5.40—**KILLARNEY TOTALISATOR PLATE** of 50 sovs. (presented by Totalisator Board of Control). Winner 75 per cent., second 15 per cent., third 10 per cent., inclusive of entrence fees, which will be added to the value of the race. A hurdle race for maidens. 1½ m.
Mr. A. P. Harris's b. g. PETER WOLFE, by Bard of Avon—Priscilla Ann, 4, 10-10 ..... Mr. R. McCarthy 1
Mr. Nelson Dixon's KERSEY, 4, 10-10 T. Hyde 2
Mr. D. P. O'Brien's HYPOCRITE, 6, 11-6 ..... Mr. M. Mitchell 3
Also ran—Aquarium, 11-6 (R. Gough); Dog's Island, 11-4 (W. O'Grady); Jolly Goodfellow, 10-10 (M. J. Prendergast). (Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—6 to 4 agst. Kersey, 2 to 1 PETER WOLFE, 4 to 1 Jolly Goodfellow, 7 to 1 Dog's Island, 10 to 1 any other. Tote (2/-)—Win: 7/-. Places: 3/-, 3/-.
Won by 3l.; same.
TOTE DOUBLE (5/- stake)—Jackbook and Sarawaki. Dividend, £3 5/-. 23 winning tickets. Day's pool, £424 7/-.

The Killarney Racecourse Premises were disinfected with Jeyes' Fluid. —(Advt.)

NEWMARKET NOTES

200 HORSES STILL IN REGULAR WORK

NEWMARKET, Tuesday.

Newmarket teams were confined to cantering exercise on the Bury side of the town this morning. Although, no doubt, from time to time more horses will either be sold or turned out of training, it seems likely that, if racing is possible in the autumn, local trainers collectively will have, roughly, just over two hundred horses under their charge. The Hon. George Lambton, with thirty-six, has the biggest number in regular work at the moment. "Bob" Colling, with nineteen, has the second largest team.

Jack Jarvis has retained about fifteen, and a similar number is at the moment sheltered in Ted Leader's stable. Frank Butters, W. Earl, Major Beatty, R. Day, H. Leach, W. R. Jarvis and J. Payne have, roughly, a dozen horses each. Captain Boyd Rochfort, Fred. Butters, G. Digby, S. Darling and Jack Colling have now only from six to eight horses in regular training.

SPORTING GOSSIP

Addition to J. Canty's Stable

Our Curragh Correspondent states that Sir Harold Gray's Moynish (3 years) has arrived at James Canty's stable, Curragh Glebe.

Aga Khan's Irish Oaks Runners

The Aga Khan will have two runners in the Irish Oaks at the Curragh meeting on Wednesday of next week. He will be represented by Queen of Shiraz (C. Smirke) and Alrabia, for whom a jockey has not yet been engaged.

More English Horses Arrive

His Highness (4 years) and Cameron (3 years) have arrived at M. C. Collins's training establishment, the Curragh, from Newmarket.

KILLARNEY—SECOND DAY

BRAY GLEN FANCIED

Glenefy Gets the Vote for Visitors' Plate

THE second day's racing promises to be well up to the standard of yesterday, and fields will again be of good strength. The principal race, the Bunrower Plate, figures last on the card. It is a handicap hurdle race, in which many horses can be made out to hold excellent chances. Cute John, who won a flat race yesterday, is likely to be fancied again, and Bray Glen, Lord Boris and Another Dream are others with chances. The selection is Bray Glen. Selections:—

Muckross Plate—**Goosie Gander.**
Glena Plate—**Lindsay.**
Rank Cup—**Knight of the Border.**
Visitors' Plate—**Glenefy.**
Mangerton Plate—**Um Colsoom.**
Bunrower Plate—**Bray Glen.**

TOTE DOUBLE.

Knight of the Border and Um Colsoom.

Tote Double on Third and Fifth Races.

3.0—**MUCKROSS PLATE** of 50 sovs. Second 3 sovs., third 2 sovs. A steeplechase. 2m. Age st. lb.

BALTRACEY (Mr. J. Coleman) ..... Rettle a 11 10
HIDDEN PAGE (Mr. R. R. Conron) ..... Cread a 11 10
HOMETOWN II. (Mr. J. Davin) ..... Lombard a 11 10
BRAY GLEN (Mr. D. Frame) ..... W. J. Byrne 6 11 10
PET (Capt. Spencer Freeman) ..... Osborne a 11 10
LORD BURFORD (Mr. M. Gleeson) ..... Owner a 11 10
GOOSIE GANDER (Mr. J. P. McAuley) ..... Banahan a 11 10
LOMOND QUEEN (Mr. D. P. O'Brien) ..... Owner 6 11 10
PRINCE ACHILLE (Miss Dorothy Paget) ..... C. Rogers a 11 10
MADEIRA KNIGHT (Mr. Leo Partridge) ..... C. A. Rogers a 11 10
HOMELAND (Mr. H. Quinn) ..... Kirwan a 11 10
ABKARI (Mr. J. Allis) ..... Owner 6 11 5
MIGHT OF MEATH (Mr. P. F. Cameron) ..... T. Hyde 5 11 5
ALLEZ AU DIABLE (Mr. M. Rowlette) ..... Rowlette 5 11 5
LADY ADELE (Mr. J. Steen) ..... Lenehan 5 11 5
LANSDOWNE LAD (Mr. T. J. Taaffe) ..... Owner 5 11 5
PIPER'S TUNE (Mrs. C. E. G. Hughes) ..... Lombard 4 10 7
JOLLY GOODFELLOW (Mr. P. McGrath) ..... Owner 4 10 7

02 HIDDEN PAGE. Carried 11-2 when beaten 6l. by Homeland (12-3) yesterday (2m. 'chase).
40 HOMETOWN II. Unplaced with 10-0 to Jackbook (10-5) yesterday (3m. 'chase). With 12-5 did not finish in 'chase won by Jungle Lass at Gowran May. Carried 10-12 when fourth of 20 to Clare Dust (10-8) Punchestown (3m. 2f. 'chase).
00 BRAY GLEN. See Bunrower Plate.
03 LORD BURFORD. Carried 10-4 when beaten 10l., 15l. by Black Mask (10-4) and Goosie Gander (10-4) Kilbeggan (2m. 'chase).
22 GOOSIE GANDER. Carried 10-1 when beaten 20l. by Minstrel Boy (9-9) Bellewstown July (2m. 'chase. See Lord Burford.
05 LOMOND QUEEN. Carried 9-8 when beaten 15l., 14l. by Quick Change II. (9-11) and Thurles Hero (9-12) Tramore July (3m. 'chase). Carried 10-12 when fifth of 12 to Poetry II. (10-12) Junction June 5 (2m 100yds. 'chase). Homeland (10-12) fell.
00 MIGHT OF MEATH. Carried 11-7 when sixth of 19 to the dead-heaters, Twelve (11-0) and Prophet's Thumb (11-2) Mallow June (1¾m. flat).
30 ALLEZ AU DIABLE. Unplaced with 10-1 to Piper's Luck (10-0) Ballinrobe July (1¼m. hurdles). Carried 9-7 when beaten neck, 1l. by M.J. (9-7) and Disney (10-3) Mullingar June (1¼m. hurdles).
00 JOLLY GOODFELLOW. Unplaced with 10-10 to Peter Wolfe (10-10) yesterday (1¼m. hurdles).

3.35—**GLENA PLATE** of 50 sovs. Second 3 sovs., third 2 sovs. 1¼ m. Age st. lb.

LITTLE FLY (Miss M. Hickey) Hickey 5 11 7
LORD HAW HAW (Mr A. Humphreys) ..... Owner 4 11 7
ARCHIE'S PRIDE (Mr. J. P. McAuley) ..... Banahan 5 11 7
DAKOTA STAR (Mrs. B. McCormick) ..... Williams a 11 7
BRINY OCEAN (Mr. D. Noonan) Owner 5 11 7
BONNIE ANNA (Mr. P. D. O'Brien) ..... Lombard 5 11 7
SPUD MURPHY (Mr. C. O'Callaghan) ..... Private 4 11 7
MARRADON (Miss D. Paget) ..... C. A. Rogers 4 11 7
SUN GLASS (Mr. P. E. Sheehan) Creed 5 11 7
COTTAGE BIRD (Mr. E. Vaughan) ..... Owner a 11 7
PHANTOMTOI (Mrs. A. H. Watt) ..... W. T. O'Grady 4 11 7
LAVENHAM (Mr. Nelson Dixon) Creed 4 11 7
ROE (Vicomte de Fontarce) ..... Wellesley 3 10 7
LINDSEY (Mr. Nelson Dixon) ..... Creed 5 10 7
NORE VALLEY (Mrs. A. P. Harris) ..... A. P. Harris 3 10 7
MAJESTIC CHIEF (Mrs. C. E. Hughes) ..... Lombard 3 10 7
PIPER'S GIRL (Mrs. C. E. Hughes) ..... Lombard 3 10 7
LOCH INE (Mr. W. Lombard) Lombard 3 10 7
NINOTCHKA (Mr. H. G. McDowell) ..... Owner 3 10 7
FIREWEED (Mr. A. L. Moore) ..... E. Gorey 3 10 7
GOLDEN DENIS (Mr. T. P. O'Hara) ..... Downing 3 10 7
LORD OF APPEAL (Mr. P. J. Tarpey) ..... Owner 3 10 7
GLEN OF AHERLOW (Mr. A. P. Harris) ..... Owner 3 n.q.
HEADLINER (Mr. L. L. Lawrence) ..... O'Ferrall 3 n.q.
YOUR WORSHIP (Miss H. F. Cowley) ..... Wellesley 3 n.q.

0 LORD HAW HAW. Unplaced with 11-0 to Another Bachelor (11-12) Limerick May (2m.).
00 ARCHIE'S PRIDE. Unplaced with 11-4 to Ballypollard (10-10) Leopardstown July (1¼m.).
30 DAKOTA STAR. Unplaced with 10-5 to River Gem (11-0) Ballinrobe July (1¼m.). Carried 11-12 when beaten short head, 3l. by Headliner (10-7) and Blazing Fire (11-12) Tramore July (1¼m.). Briny Ocean (11-12) was fifth of 10.
00 BRINY OCEAN. See Dakota Star and Bonnie Anna.
40 BONNIE ANNA. Carried 11-9 when, with Lavenham (11-5) unplaced to Nursery Seedling (10-9) yesterday (2m.). Carried 11-7 when fourth of 19 to the dead-heaters, Twelve (11-0) and Prophet's Thumb (11-2) Mallow June (1¾m.). Briny Ocean (11-1) and Sun Glass (11-7) were behind.
0 SUN GLASS. See Bonnie Anna.
00 COTTAGE BIRD. Unplaced with 9-9 to Passeport II. (12-0) Mallow June (2m. 129yds. hurdles).
00 PHANTOMTOI. Carried 9-9 when, with Nore Valley (8-3), unplaced to Glen of Aherlow (8-9) Junction June 29 (1m. 1f.).
00 LAVENHAM. See Bonnie Anna. Unplaced with 9-2 to River Gem (8-7) Junction June 5 (1¼m.).
30 ROE. Carried 8-1 when fifth of 10 to Bold Maid (8-1) Phœnix Park May 25 (1m.). Carried 7-13 when beaten head, 1½l., by Gainsworth (8-4) and Wild Wheat (8-4) Curragh May (1m.).
43 LINDSEY. Carried 10-10 when beaten 2l., neck by Royal Down (10-10) and Kylemode (10-10) Nass May (1¼m.).
00 NORE VALLEY. See Phantomtoi.
04 NINOTCHKA. Carried 10-3 when fourth of 9 to Swindon Beauty (11-12) Bellewstown July (2m.).
3 FIREWEED. Carried 8-6 when beaten 4½l., 2l. by Winnipeg (9-4) and Gransden (8-6) Phœnix Park July (1m.).
00 GOLDEN DENIS. Unplaced with 8-9 to Gloucester (9-9) Junction June 6 (1m. 1f.).

4.5—**RANK CUP**, value 50 sovs. (presented by J. V. Rank, Esq.), with 50 sovs. added. Second 5 sovs., third 3 sovs. 2m. Age st. lb.

SAFFRON HILL (7lb ex.) (Miss Dorothy Paget) ..... C. A. Rogers a 12 8
CITADEL (Capt. G. R. L. Whitelaw) ..... R. Harrison a 12 7
KNIGHT OF VENOSAS (Capt. C. B. Harty) ..... Owner a 12 0
LIGHTNING (Mr. J. Neville) ..... F. Fox a 11 7
JUNGLE LASS (Mr. T. M. Banahan) ..... C. Harty a 11 7
KNIGHT OF THE BORDER (Miss D. Paget) ..... C. Rogers 6 11 5
PET (Capt. Spencer Freeman) ..... Osborne a 10 12
ST. MULLINS (Mr. M. Rowlette) ..... Rowlette a 10 8
IRISH TREASURE (Mr. P. Molony) ..... Owner a 10 4
POETRY II. (Miss M. Preston) Purdon a 10 0
THURLES HERO (Miss M. Mickey) ..... Hickey a 9 12
ARGUMENT (Mr. W. J. Byrne) Owner a 9 10
MINSTREL BOY (Miss M. Gaisford St. Lawrence) ..... Arnold a 9 10
MISS MILLIE (Mr. J. Bennet) F. Wood 5 9 0
GOLDEN SUNSET II. (Mr. W. Dwan) ..... Mowbray a 9 0
IRISH BLARNEY (Mr. H. O'Leary) ..... Riddle a 9 7
LADY ADELE (Mr. J. Steen) ..... Lenehan 5 9 7
REAL (Capt. Reid Walker) ..... O'Ferrall a 9 7

23 KNIGHT OF VENOSAS. Carried 12-0 when beaten 6l., 15l., by Jackbook (10-5) and Coincide (9-7) yesterday (3m. 'chase). Thurles Hero (10-4) was unplaced. St. Mullins (10-6) fell.
00 LIGHTNING. Unplaced with 11-5 to St. Marila (11-3) Junction June 29 (2m. hurdles).
10 JUNGLE LASS. Unplaced with 11-4 to Nursery Seedling (10-9) yesterday (2m. 8l.). Carried 13-5 when winning 200yds. from Old Grange (11-9) and New Hall II. (12-8) Gowran May (2½m. 'chase).
28 KNIGHT OF THE BORDER. Carried 10-5 when beaten 1¾l. by Drumbilla (9-11) Leopardstown July (2½m. 'chase). Carried 10-9 when beaten head by Pulcher (10-5) Baldoyle July (2m. 2f. 'chase).
30 ST. MULLINS. See Knight of Venosas. Carried 10-7 when beaten 3l., 6l., by Saffron Hill (12-2) and Brown Joker (9-10) Ballinrobe July (3m. 'chase).
10 IRISH TREASURE. Unplaced with 10-8 to Double French (9-10), Limerick May (3m. 'chase). Carried 11-7 when winning 10l. 4l. from Forest Chief (10-2) and Glenefy (12-7), Limerick March (3m. 200yds. 'chase).
01 POETRY II. Carried 10-13 when winning 4l., 1½l. from Royal Gold (10-12) and Sunglen (10-3), Junction June 6 (2m. 100yds. 'chase). Carried 10-8 when fifth of 10 to Knockadrolsen (12-0), Punchestown (2½m. 'chase).
30 THURLES HERO. See Knight of Venosas.
10 ROYAL DOWN. See Cute John. Carried 10-10 when winning 2l. neck from Kylemore (10-10) and Lindsay (10-10) Naas May (1¼m.).
32 SILVER VIXEN. Carried 9-9 when beaten 2l. by Your Worship (8-9) Ballinrobe July (1m. 2f. 50yds.). Carried 9-5 when beaten neck, 1½l. by Glen of Aherlow (9-9) and Gransden (8-9) Junction June 29 (1m. 3f.).
00 BULLE MOR. Unplaced with 7-7 to Cratloe Castle (7-10) Curragh May (5f.).
01 VENETIAN LACE. Carried 9-0 when winning 2l. same from Carmavey (9-9) and Sported Oak (9-0) Thurles June (1m. 3f.).
40 GALLANT KNIGHT. Carried 8-12 when fifth of 8 to Skibbereen Eagle (7-13) Curragh June 26 (6f.). Carried 7-13 when fourth of 13 to Broadcaster (9-8) Curragh June 13 (7f.).

5.40—**BUNROWER PLATE** of 100 sovs. (presented by the Government of Ireland). Winner 75 per cent., second 15 per cent., third 10 per cent. of the stakes. 1¾m. Age st. lb.

BRAY GLEN (Mr. D. Frame) ..... W. J. Byrne 6 12 0
PUCK FAIR (Mr. T. Morrow) ..... Slator, jun. 4 11 13
LORD BORIS (Mr. J. P. McAuley) ..... Banahan a 11 13
BRIGHT CHILD (Miss Dorothy Paget) ..... C. A. Rogers a 11 10
DUNDRIN (Mr. T. W. Barry) ..... D. Moloney a 11 8
KILFEAKLE (Lord Charles Cavendish) ..... H. M. Ryan 6 11 8
CUTE JOHN (Mr. G. V. Malcomson) ..... Tyndall 5 11 7
HEARTY WELCOME (Mr. E. T. Cronan) ..... T. Burke 5 11 7
ANOTHER DREAM (Mr. P. J. Renahan) ..... Keating a 11 0
ANOTHER CONSUL (Mr. M. Foley) ..... D. Foley 4 10 13
LAND OF PEACE (Mr. E. Timmins) ..... Ruttle 5 10 13
PETER WOLF (Mr. A. P. Harris) ..... Owner 4 10 10
COTTAGE LADY (Mr. R. O'Shaughnessy) ..... Owner a 10 10
SOUTHER NEAT (Mr. Denis Kelly) ..... Owner 6 10 9
TOIROSE (Mr. Jas. J. Kelly) ..... Kirwan a 10 9
LUCKY AND WISE (Mr. T. J. Taaffe) ..... Owner 4 10 2
KANTWELLS COURT (Mr. John J. Barry) ..... Kirwan 5 10 0

00 BRAY GLEN. See Puck Fair.
43 PUCK FAIR. Carried 10-13 when beaten short head, 2l. by Cutie John (11-2) and Starflyer (11-11) yesterday (1¼m. flat). Cottage Lady (10-0) was unplaced. Carried 10-9 when fourth of 7 to Littlestep (9-2) Dundalk June (1¼m. hurdles). Hurdling when fifth (10-11) was fifth.
20 LORD BORIS. Unplaced with 9-13 to George Dandin (9-9) Baldoyle July (1¼m. hurdles). Carried 9-13 when beaten 1¼l. by Megrara (9-2) Naas March (1¼m. hurdles).
33 KILFEAKLE. See Toirose. Carried 10-3 when beaten 2l., 2l. by Passeport II. (12-0) and Prescribed (10-10) Mallow June (2m. 129yds. hurdles). Carried 9-8 when, hurling 1¼l. 3l. from Dundrin (9-12) and Dakota Star (9-10) Thurles June (1¼m. hurdles). Another Dream (9-2) was fourth of 7.
00 CUTE JOHN. See Puck Fair. Carried 11-5 when sixth of 15 to Wild Umpire (11-7) Baldoyle May (1¼m. hurdles).
44 ANOTHER DREAM. See Toirose. Carried 9-8 when fourth of 6 to Piper's Luck (10-0) Ballinrobe July (1¼m. hurdles). See Kilfeakle.
13 LAND OF PEACE. Carried 11-4 when beaten 1¼l., 4l. by Nursery Seedling (10-9) and Hallowmen (11-4) yesterday (2m. flat). Carried 11-5 when beaten 4l. by Baldonnell (13-10) (disq.) Punchestown (2m. 'chase).
21 PETER WOLFE. Carried 10-10 when winning 3l. same from Kersey (10-10) and Hypocrite (12-6) yesterday (1¼m. hurdles). Carried 10-7 when beaten 4l. by St. Martin (11-5) Junction June 29 (2m. hurdles).
00 COTTAGE LADY. See Puck Fair. Unplaced with 9-13 to Derk (10-9) Limerick May (1¼m. flat).
20 SOUTHERN RAY. Carried 11-12 when fifth of 12 to Free State (10-5) Junction June 5 (2m. 100yds. 'chase). Carried 10-9 when beaten 14l. by Cutelot (11-4) Limerick May (1¼m. hurdles).
12 TOIROSE. Carried 9-10 when beaten 14l. by Sarawaki (10-13) yesterday (2m. hurdles). Kilfeakle (11-0) and Another Dream (10-4) were unplaced. Carried 9-9 when winning 2l., 4l. from Sarawaki (11-1) and Another Consul (10-7) Tramore July (2m. hurdles).
00 KANTWELL'S COURT. Unplaced with 10-2 to Karabel (10-8) Powerstown April (1m. 5f. 70yds. hurdles).

GAELIC GAMES

NEARING FINAL STAGE

Leix take their Chances: Cavan Fully Extended by Donegal

(BY PAT'O.)

THE Limerick hurlers at Clonmel had to fight every inch of the ground against Waterford in a swaying game of Munster Championship tempo. It was in the closing minutes that Power's rushed goal saved them after Waterford had taken the lead. Experience was the deciding factor in Limerick's last rally that placed the team in the Munster final. They relied on Tierries on July 28th to revive last year's exciting finish, when Cork's strong finish brought the winning goal. The teams are again well matched, although Cork's 1940 record is the more impressive. Recent performances make it clear that Waterford, long in a lowly position, are firmly established among leading hurling counties. They can extend our best teams.

THE FINALISTS

The week-end results panned out as anticipated here: Mayo, Laoighis and Cavan are in their respective football finals, whilst Down's fine team work merited a draw at Castleblayney proving that their victory over Tyrone was no fluke.

Once again Offaly failed at a critical stage. Taking the game to Leix posts with confidence they had the better of all the open play. The Leix forwards were often at fault, and their winning goals were a result of Offaly loopholes rather than brilliant forward work. Meath's stock in the Leinster final again soars, but it should be a dour finish at Croke Park on Sunday week between Leix and Meath.

Donegal footballers gave Cavan a rare fright at Bundoran. Holding their goal intact, they pierced Cavan's defence for vital goals. It needed all the resource of White (U.C.D.) in attack to run up winning points for Breffni. With P. Smith back for the final, Cavan will be warm favourites whether Monaghan or Down are their opponents. A postponement may now be inevitable.

Mayo's attack close on half-time made all the difference between defeat and victory in the Sligo replay. The Mayo leader again inspired his side. Sligo finished well and were within reach of victory until Gallagher misjudged a falling ball and Laffey tapped it to the net.

ARMY HURLERS AT GALWAY

The Army Hurling final between Ordnance (Dublin) and Renmore (Galway) is listed for Galway Sports ground on to-morrow (Thursday) at 2.30. Football success has strengthened the Gaelic Athletic Battalion in the West. Without the Ordnance stars the Galway side have shaped well against strong local teams and a fast finish is certain.

Kilkenny senior hurlers should know every blade of grass in Nowlan Park, where they play Dublin in the Leinster final on Sunday next at 2.30. There is a fast excursion train from Kingsbridge at 10 o'clock. Dunphy's players form the framework of Dublin's side, but there are valuable keymen from Eoghan Ruadh, Young Ireland, U.D.C. and Civil Service. Dublin's centre-field (Gray and Wade) is the best playing. McSweeney, of the Army, is playing great hurling and should his wingmen respond Dublin must hold a bright chance of lowering the champions colours.

Every man of last year's winning side is available for Kilkenny, who may retain their 1939 personnel and placings. Langton is still the most competent ruler in the game. O'Connell, in goal, has struck his best form in training. Kilkenny in their present mood are a typical championship side, hard to overcome.

GREYHOUND RACING

BALTRAY BOY BACK TO FORM

A CLEVER VICTORY AT HAROLD'S CROSS

Baltray Boy atoned for a failure at Shelbourne Park on Saturday night by winning a 550 yards race last night at Harold's Cross Park. He was well away, and, coming along with a good burst of pace in the straight, held on to win by two lengths from Hedge Quickly. Missing Money followed up a couple of recent successes by taking the Midland Hurdle, and Sporting Flier was an easy winner of the Leinster Plate. Details:—

ULSTER PLATE—Mr. E. Smith's MUNSTER KING (6), 4 to 1, 1; BALLINS DASHER (5), 5 to 2, 2; TOO MODEST (4), 3 to 1, 3. Also ran—Ahm Am (2), 5 to 2, 4. Upperchurch Rover (1), 6 to 4; Valiant Rival (3), 4 to 1. 2l., 1l. 32.04 secs.

METROPOLITAN HURDLE—Mr. I. Hennessey's HEDGE ALWAYS (1), 7 to 4, 1; CLOCK'S DOUBLE (4), 3 to 1, 2; AGLISH CHAMPION (3), 4 to 1, 3. Also ran—Mitchell's Black (2), 3 to 1. A distance, 5. 34.75 secs.

LEINSTER PLATE—Mr. J. McGrath's SPORTING FLIER (1), 2 to 1, 1; KILLADOON (3), 10 to 1, 2; MIDNIGHT BELL (2), 5 to 4, 3. Also ran—Smerin Lack (4), 10 to 1; All Port (6), 7 to 2; Valiant Shelter (5), 8 to 1. A distance, 2l. 33.26 secs.

MINSTER PLATE—Mr. J. Barrett's SWEET BUZZER (1), 4 to 1, 1; LYNNARD (4), 3 to 1, 2; TEAM BELLE (5), 5 to 1, 3. Also ran—Carousal (6), 2 to 1; Piper's Tom (3), 5 to 1; Cruise's End (2), 4 to 1. A distance, ¾l. 31.91 secs.

MIDLAND HURDLE—Mr. M. Murphy's MISSING MONEY (4), 7 to 2, 1; BALTOWN PRINCE (3), 9 to 2, 2; CREEKS FOR BALLYMORE (6), 4 to 1, 3. Also ran—Dashing Badger (1), 2 to 1, 4). A distance, 3l. 33.03 secs.

HAROLD'S CROSS PLATE (350 yards)—Master M. N. Brogan's BALTRAY BOY (3), 9 to 4, 1; HEDGE QUICKLY (5), 5 to 1, 2; BRILLIANT OCEAN (2), 2 to 1, 3. Also ran—Kingsfield Lad (6), 10 to 1; Glenmahon Blonde (3), 5 to 1; Miels (4), 6 to 1. 2l., 1l. 33.10 secs.

LIFFEY PLATE—Mr. H. Shelly's HIGH HOPES (3), 8 to 1, 1; BALLYOASHEEN ROSE (2), 7 to 2, 2; DANE (4), 7 to 2, 3. Also ran—Novelty (6), 6 to 1; Red Maple (1), 3 to 1; Booster Generator (5), 5 to 1. 6l., 4l. 31.90 secs.

SHELBOURNE PARK—TO-NIGHT

8.15—**525 YARDS**—Just a Gamble, Cashier Man, Madam's Rover, Dublin City, Barrisbeg Boy, Dancing Dasher, Kilmeskne Dasher, Butcher's Mutton.

8.50—**525 YARDS (HURDLES)**—Japanese Stamp, Red Bogey, Lemon Master, Ceolan, First Rose of Summer, Knockafin.

9.45—**300 YARDS**—Little Twinkle, Sweet Leland, Glebe Cross, Without Wings, Artful Artist, Keen Jane.

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NEWLY dropped Calf Wanted.—Glenalla, Stillorgan. 'Phone 84128.

DOGS.

AT Fynecot Dog Shop, South King street, Dublin—Dog Requisites, Trimming, Boarding. Telephone, 51613. T

BLACK Female Cocker Pups, 6 months old, excellent pedigree; cheap. Address "Z 1496, Pups," this office. 16 F

FOR interesting and informative Kennel News and Articles, Special Reports of Dog Shows and Field Trials, and exclusive Irish Kennel Club Reports and Registrations, read "THE IRISH FIELD" (Official organ of the Irish Kennel Club). On Sale every Saturday. T

FOR Sale, English Springer, Sandy of Ivers, registered number 2820, perfect stud dog, born 26/1/36.—Robinson, Mountmellick. 16 D

GREATEST Annual Summer Show, Monkstown, August Bank Holiday. Schedules ready. Entries close 18th inst Show Secretary 7 Cope street, Dublin. 5 X

HANDSOME Red Setter Dog, house trained; good home in country wanted.—Box 592, Dixon, Dun Laoghaire.

LABRADOR Dog Pups, 3 months, first prize litter Cork Show; by Ferndale Ben, ex Jill of Holmebay; both sire and dam well known winners and first rate workers.—Mrs. Eustace-Duckett, Tullow. 15 C

LONGFORD Limited Show—Entries Close Friday, 19th (postmark). — Fagan, Lick Bla, Castlepollard.

CATS.

PERSIAN Kittens, blue, long-haired, amber-eyed, females, 15/-.—Smyth, Newtown, Drogheda. 16 F

BUSINESS, BUSINESS PREMISES, LANDS, ETC.

TO LET

Shops, with or without dwelling-houses; Populous Cash Shopping districts, City.—L 2, this office.

BAGGOT street, Lower (No. 42)—Large Shop, with Dwellinghouse in three good flats; entire possession. Auction, 23rd. Keys, Albert MacArthur, The Housefinder. 13 D

GALWAY City—Licensed Commercial Hotel, Restaurant Bar, etc., for Sale; prompt possession.—Browne and Co., Auctioneers, Westport. 16 F

GROUND Floor Premises for Sale, near East road, covered in space 86 feet x 75 feet, uncovered 114 feet x 98 feet; price £2,000. Seen by appointment with Thos. Dockrell, Sons and Co., Ltd., Agents. 16 F

PUBLIC-HOUSE Wanted to Rent, Dublin; living accommodation.—L 1791, this office. 15 D

SOUTH William Street—Ground Floor Warerooom, vacant shortly, with store attached. Apply Exchange Buildings, Limited, 48 Kildare street. 16 F

WELL lighted Office to Let, first floor; moderate rent.—35 Exchequer street. 15 E

HOUSES AND LANDS FOR SALE.

ABANDON House-Hunting—Consult Garvey and Good, Auctioneers, Lincoln place. 'Phone 62468. 6 X

ALBERT MACARTHUR, The Housefinder, MacArthur House, D'Olier street. Telephone, 76754 (2 lines). T

ALONG Sea Coast, blackrock, Kingstown to Killiney, Le Clere and Donovan, Sandycove, have attractive, detached Houses, Bungalows and Cottages for Sale. T

ADJACENT Highfield Road—Non-basement, brick House, containing two reception, five bedrooms, maid's room; low outgoings; reasonable price for quick sale.—Jackson Stops and McCabe, 35 Kildare street. 12 C

ATTRACTIVE Investment—Well built, brick and granite House, converted into three self-contained flats, perfect condition; no further outlay; long lease; head rent £10; most select locality, South side, convenient tram and bus; price £1,950.—R O 184, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 12 C

AUCTION, 12 Annesley Park, Rathmines; prewar, red brick, 2 reception, 2 bedrooms, maid's room, bathroom, kitchen, garden, garage space.—Allen, Townsend, Auctioneers, 11 Stephen's Green. 15 E

A NON-BASEMENT Residence, on 16 acres; 6 miles South Dublin.—William Humphreys Browne, 95194. 16 F

AT Dalkey—Detached, attractive, basementless House, £2,000; Sandycove, Cottage, £700.—Megahey, Sandycove. 16 C

AUCTION on the premises, at 3 Cambridge road, Rathmines, on Friday, 26th, at 12 noon, House and Furniture; compact, semi-detached, 7 apartments, gardens, side entrance; furniture includes walnut, oak and mahogany bedroom suites, chairs, tables, china and glassware, etc.—Connolly, Auctioneer, 3 Lincoln Place.

AUCTION on the premises, at 199 Cabra road, on Tuesday, 30th, at 12 noon; House and Furniture, specially built, spacious, semi-detached House, 7 apartments, garage; furniture includes: Upright Piano, H.M.V. Wireless Set, Chesterfield Suite, Bedroom Suites, China, Glassware, etc.—Connolly, Auctioneer, 3 Lincoln Place.

ABSOLUTE Bargain—Brick House, Rathgar, £850. William Humphreys Browne, 38 Braemor Park. 95194. 15 F

BEAUTIFUL little Wooden Bungalow; ideal position, Co. Wicklow; fully Furnished; immediate Sale, £365. Address "Z 1353, Bungalow," this office. 1 C

BLACKROCK—Detached, on 12 acres; non-basement Residence; every accommodation; garage, fully stocked garden, tennis court, stabling, gate lodge; £3,000, or near offer.—Jackson Stops and McCabe, 35 Kildare street. 15 E

BUNGALOW, big garden, Roebuck avenue; 3 bedrooms, garage; low outgoings; £975.—Browne and Dowse, 2 Dawson street. 16 D

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BALLSBRIDGE—Magnificent Freehold Residence, on two acres ten rooms; tennis court; suitable flats; £3,500.—Maguire, 45 Molesworth street.

CHOICE House, Eaton square, Monkstown, non-basement. Large selection beautiful, detached Houses, Bungalows.—Boag, Blackrock (over Monument Creamery). 13 D

CORRAGH House, Clondalkin, Co. Dublin, is the Historic Irish Mansion featured in the "Weekly Irish Times" to-day. Price twopence. 16 F

CLONTARF—£1,150, offers invited, artistically designed, charming Bungalow, spacious gardens, fruit, flower, vegetable; greenhouse, garage.—Albert MacArtaur, The Housefinder. 16 F

COUNTY Dublin—Residence and 74 acres for immediate Sale; held in fee-simple; annuity and rates £109 yearly. Particulars from James Fagan, Solicitor, 58 Parnell square.

DUN Laoghaire—£750; choice, non-basement House, four bedrooms; convenient situation.—Albert MacArthur, The Housefinder. 16 F

DARTRY—Just in the market; splendidly built, detached, non-basement Residence, with all modern conveniences; tennis court; easily one of the best properties in this neighbourhood. Apply Hamilton and Hamilton, Ltd., 60 Dawson street. 16 D

DUN Laoghaire—Facing Golf Links; 8 rooms; large garden; freshly decorated; £1,600, or Let.—Maguire, 45 Molesworth street.

EXECUTORS' Sale, three lots, 91 Tritonville road, Sandymount, let at £80; 107 let at £55 5/-; 108 let at £54 10/-; excellent investment. Auction, 23rd.—Albert MacArthur, The Housefinder. 13 D

FEE-SIMPLE Ground Rent of £60 in one collection out of 12 houses on Mimnagh road, secured by a total P.L.V. of £237 10/-. Full particulars from Thos. Dockrell, Sons and Co., Ltd., Agents. 13 D

FEE-SIMPLE Ground Rent of £60 3/4, payable half yearly out of 29 houses at Phibsborough and secured by a total P.L.V. of £583. Full particulars from Thomas Dockrell, Sons and Co., Ltd., Agents. 13 D

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GROUND Rents, Fee Simple, £540, in suitable lots, 18½ years purchase; £138 Fee Simple Rent, attractive, modern, suburban houses, 18½ years purchase; £65 Fee Simple Rent from suburban business concerns, 18 years purchase; also £37 10/-, one collection for £490, and £10 for £140; numerous others. Details—Albert MacArthur, The Housefinder. 16 F

HARCOURT street—Exceptionally fine House for Sale, on which close on £1,000 has recently been expended; the house is held on a lease which contains no restrictive covenants for 900 years, subject to £20 per annum; price £2,000. Full particulars from Thos. Dockrell, Sons and Co., Ltd., Agents. 13 D

INVESTMENT—City House, let at £78, price £400.—Allen, Townsend, 11 Stephen's Green. 15 E

INVESTMENT—House for Sale, modern, producing £78 per annum; good tenant; price £775. No agents.—L 1936, this office.

INVESTMENT—Three Houses, Annaville Park, Dundrum, let at £84 per annum to good tenants; price £795 each. Apply 30 Annaville Park. 16 X

KILCOOL—8 roomed House for Sale; modern sanitary arrangements; with or without 2 to 6 acres land.—Rochfort Doyle, Auctioneer, Greystones. 16 F

MONKSTOWN—Detached, on one acre; 4 reception, 6 bedrooms.—Southside Agency, Monkstown. 12 C

MELVYN Park, Ballsbridge—Modern House: 3 reception, 4 bedrooms (2 h. and c.), fitted cloakroom, tiled kitchen, bathroom and lavatory; garage, garden, greenhouse; convenient E.D.S., 'bus, tram, train.—L 1810, this office. 13 D

MODERN House for Sale; all conveniences. Seen after 11, 24 Sandymount avenue. 16 X

NEW £62 out of House, Clarinda Park, Dun Laoghaire; price £600.—Maguire, 45 Molesworth street.

"ONE Collection," £270, secured Rent from valuable O'Connell street property; splendid investment, 14½ years purchase.—Albert MacArthur, The Housefinder. 16 F

OSWELL Park—Splendid House; reduced price.—Wm. Humphreys Browne, Braemor Park. 95194. 16 F

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RESIDENCES, Cottages, Fishings, Sell or Let, by West—Browne and Co., Auctioneers, Westport. 16 F

RATHMINES Road, commodious House, alongside Portobello Bridge. £1,000; another, Grove Park, £850.—Albert MacArthur, The Housefinder. 16 F

STILLORGAN Road (adjoining)—Detached, modern Bungalow, with large garden; 2 reception rooms, 3 bedrooms, etc.; garage; very low outgoings; price £975.—Jackson Stops and McCabe, 35 Kildare street. 15 E

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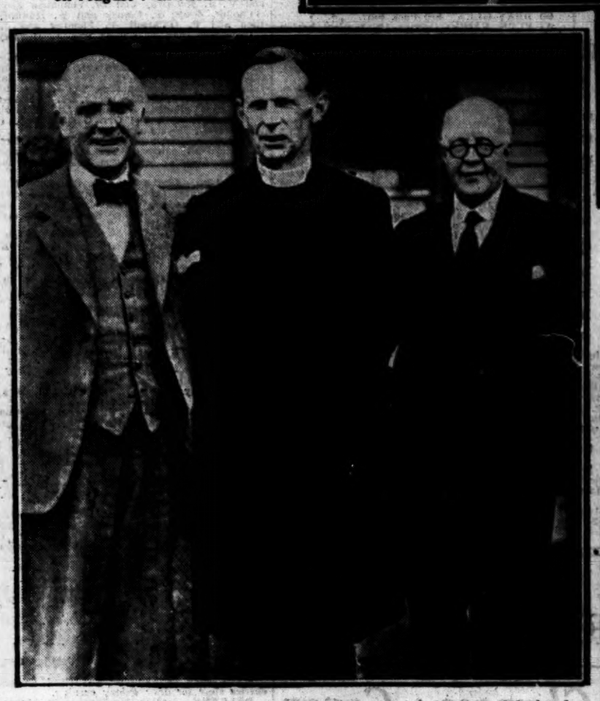
"IRISH TIMES" BRANCH OFFICE
WILLIAM STREET, LIMERICK.
ADVERTISEMENTS CAN BE HANDED IN UNTIL 5.30 P.M. DAILY FOR INSERTION IN NEXT DAY'S ISSUE.

TO WED: Miss Marjorie Janucey, St. Elmo, Sutton, Dublin, whose marriage to Mr. T. Morrison Lamb, Montrose, Scotland, will take place on August 7 in Montrose.

THE RIGHT REV. MONSIGNOR HYNES, M.A., B.D., President of University College, Galway, photographed with Professors of the University and students on whom he conferred degrees on Monday last.



SPEAKERS at yesterday's annual meeting of the Church of Ireland Labour Yard at Ringsend. They are (from left): Mr. F. Lowe, the Most Rev. Dr. Barton, Archbishop of Dublin, and Mr. W. B. Conyngham.

SPOILS OF WAR: The beautiful Villa Medici in Rome, popularly known as the Accademia de Francia, and the property of France. It was entrusted to the care of the U.S. Embassy when Italy entered the war, but has since had to be surrendered to the Italian Government.

DEGREE DAY AT U.C.G.

AUCTIONS.

CHERRYFELD, TEMPLEOGUE

(3 MILES FROM DUBLIN).

IMPORTANT SALE OF HOUSE AND LANDS.

WE have been instructed by the Executors of the late William Harrington, Esq., to SELL ABOVE VALUABLE PROPERTY

BY PUBLIC AUCTION, AT 37 PRUSSIA ST., DUBLIN,

on MONDAY, 29th JULY, at 12 o'clock noon.

PARTICULARS.

The property contains 83 acres 2 roods 16 perches statute measure, or thereabouts, and is subject to Land Purchase Annuity of £48 1s. 0d. Poor Law Valuation on Land £125 and on Buildings £29.

The lands are of excellent quality and all under grass; portion is leased to the Leinster Hockey Union for sports grounds at an annual rent of £80, and other portions were let this season for sports purposes at rents totalling £105. In addition the rents received for grazing lettings for present year amount to £212 10s. 0d., and for two cottages on the land (not including gate lodge) the sum of £40 5s. 9d., making a total income of £445 15s. 9d.

The dwellinghouse, which is very nicely situated, with a southern aspect, overlooks the Dublin Mountains, and is approached by an avenue with gate lodge entrance, and contains 3 reception rooms, 8 bedrooms, bathroom, h. and c. (Vartry water); dairy, store room, pantries, etc. Well-kept walled-in flower and vegetable garden, conservatory.

The out-offices include stabling, cow houses garage, etc.

The property is bounded on the north side by the Dodder River. A supply of Vartry water is also laid on to other portions of the land for stock, as well as to dwellinghouse.

For Conditions of Sale apply to ARTHUR COX, Esq., 42 Stephen's Green, Dublin, Solicitor having Carriage of Sale; or

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TOBER, DUNLAVIN, CO. WICKLOW	272	STATUTE ACRES.
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AT 11 A.M. PROMPT.

Entries include aged Polly and Horned Bullocks, Hereford and A.A. Cross Bullocks and Heifers, well-bred young stock, etc.

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FARM FOR SALE
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LANDS OF CLONDALKEMORE
(2 miles from Hill of Down Station.)

The property contains 237 acres, 1 rood, 4 perches, Statute measure, subject to Land Purchase annuity of £85 10/5. Poor Law Valuation, £134.

The lands are of very good quality and all under grass; they have a never-failing water supply, are well fenced and sheltered, and free from disease.

The buildings include shedding accommodation for cattle and horses; also hay barn and herd's house.

The herd, Michael Keegan, who lives on the lands, will point out the boundaries.

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63 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN,
At 11 o'clock sharp.

Entries include 6 Kerry Springing Heifers.

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HOUSES AND LANDS CONTINUED

SANDYCOVE—Semi-detached, non-basement, conveniently situated House, containing 2 reception rooms, breakfast room, 4 bedrooms, maid's room, kitchen, h. and c. bath, electric light, secluded garden, garage; price £1,550. Orders to view from Thos. Dockrell, Sons and Co., Ltd., Agents. 15 E

DUNDRUM Park, Sandycove (62 Elton Park)—Roomy, semi-detached, modern House, in delightful locality, by reliable building contractors; 2 reception, maid's, sitting, 4 bedrooms, garage, E. and W. aspect; 2/3 remission of rates for four years; private view. On View Daily.—R. H. Thompson (Dublin), Ltd.; 'phone, 72635 (2 lines). 23 X

£382 F.A. Net from 6 well-matured, non-basement Houses in residential city district; excellent tenants; would Sell separately or in one lot. Details, Browne and Dowse, 2 Dawson street. 16 D

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A HOUSE to Let at 1 Upper Fitzwilliam street, containing 8 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, 2 w.c.s; recently newly decorated; rent £120 and rates per year; valuation £30. Also 9 Lower Fitzwilliam street, containing 12 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, 2 w.c.s, yard, also rear entrance; newly decorated; rent £150 and rates yearly; valuation £46. Apply to St. Andrew's Serpentine avenue, Ballsbridge. 'Phone 4271 Ballsbridge. 15 F

IMPORTANT CLEARANCE SALE
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KILSALLAGHAN,
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At 12 o'clock.

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Very fine lot of Wardrobes, Dressing Chests, Wash Stands, Bedroom Suites, Dining-room Suites, Axminster Carpets and Stair Carpets, Single and Double Beds in Oak, Walnut, Canary Wood, Electric Vacuum Cleaner; with hair-drying and paint-spraying attachments—300 lots, all in perfect condition. On View day before Sale, from 2 o'clock to 6 o'clock. (S.T.).

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MORRIS Ten Four Sliding Head Saloon, Series "M"	£185
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BABY Fiat, 1938, in excellent condition; very low petrol consumption; £66. Can be seen at Doyle's Garage, Main street, Bray. 'Phone Bray 142. 15 D

FORD 8 h.p. Saloon, 1939, 11,000 miles; £115. Telephone 64688. 12 C

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STANDARD 1936 12 h.p. Saloon De Luxe, green/black with green leather upholstery, sliding roof, good tyres, full equipment; taxed 31/12/40; £175.—Hunt Motors, Lower Mount street, Dublin.

1938 HUDSON Terraplane Convertible Coupe, six seater, in beautiful condition, taxed for year, mileage 15,800. Seen Abembleys Garage, 81 Townsend street, Dublin. 13 C

CARAVANS.

CARAVANS for Hire. Full particulars from Dickson, 47A Fleet street, Dublin. 12 C

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